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HIGHLY IMPORTANT.

Fighting for the Last Three Days in Maryland.

The Rebels Attempting to Escape into Virginia.

Our Cavalry and Artillery Harassing Their Rear.

One of Their Trains Captured and Half a Mile of Another Gone Burst.

Regular of Longstreet from Harper's Ferry on Friday.

The Fighting There Renewed Yesterday Morning.

Our Main Column Expected to Overtake the Enemy Yesterday Afternoon.

Enthusiastic Reception of Our Army in Frederick.

No Danger of an Invasion of Pennsylvania.

IMPORTANT FROM WASHINGTON.

A Heavy Battle Proceeding at Harper's Ferry—The Rebels in Retreat Westward and our Forces in Rapid Pursuit.

WASHINGTON, Sunday, Sept. 14—10 P. M.

A gentleman who left Poolesville at 10 o'clock this morning says that heavy firing was heard there from daylight till the time he left, from the direction of Harper's Ferry.

Our latest accounts, through private channels, from Maryland, represent the rebels in retreat westward, and our troops in rapid pursuit.

It is believed that a conflict has taken place at Harper's Ferry, and that a rebel force has been ordered to that point from the South.

Our forces entered Frederick on Friday afternoon, between 4 and 5 o'clock, encountering the rebel cavalry under Pole-Horse Lee, about three miles from the city, and attacking them with such impetuosity that they at once broke and fled. They attempted in vain to rally in the town.

About 450 of their sick and wounded was left behind.

Their horses are described as being mere skeletons. The streets was strewn with old shoes and clothes, which the rebels had cast off and left.

The office of the Union paper, the *Examiner*, was partially destroyed.

The reception of our troops was most enthusiastic. Ladies wore the National colors, and children were decked with marvellous Union flags.

It appears that the rebels did not receive much encouragement there, and were somewhat disappointed, after having been invited over, and assured that the whole State would hail them as deliverers. Lee's proclamation had but little effect, and the whole number of recruits furnished by Frederick County was only about 70.]] Full one-half the rebel troops there are said to have been foreigners.

A speech was made in town by HENRY CLAY, who was very drunk and stupid.

Our forces are in fine spirits.

WASHINGTON, Sunday, Sept. 14—Midnight.

That the fight has been progressing in the vicinity of Harper's Ferry seems beyond question. Both on the Virginia and Maryland sides of the Potomac heavy firing has been heard all day, with but brief intermissions. The reports were audible two miles from the City.

The news thus far, received through private sources, gives promise of healthful results to the Union cause, and has accordingly elated the spirits of all loyal men.

Mail communication with Frederick will be resumed to-morrow.

From the Star of Saturday Evening.

Gen. BURNSIDE yesterday occupied Frederick in force, and this morning, doubtless, left it in pursuit of the retiring enemy, so close upon whose rear he certainly is that a battle to-day is, it seems to us, inevitable. In fact, we are persuaded that he must have had quite a skirmish with them shortly after it became light enough this morning for both commanders to appreciate their closeness to each other.

Heavy firing at Harper's Ferry was certainly heard last evening up the river, which tells that up to that time the rebels had not been able to beat Col. MILES' gallant command. Gen. McCLELLAN, we presume, is pushing on, vigorously to his relief, and we anticipate that he must make much progress in that direction to-day, unless checked for the time being by becoming involved in a general engagement, which strikes us as being by no means improbable.

The rebel commanders seem desperately bent on creating the impression that their numbers are overwhelmingly large. Persons (unmilitary) coming within our lines say that they boast of being quite a quarter of a million strong on both sides of the river. How preposterous this story is, is evident to the utter impossibility of feeding such a force with such resources as the rebels possess. While we know that they have generally managed to outnumber us when desiring so to do, and thus to gain essential advantages over us, we place no faith whatever in their quarter-of-a-million story; having seen or heard nothing since the enemy appeared in force on the Rappahannock to justify the belief that they can have half those numbers.

The force with which JACKSON is said to have a day or two since recrossed the river at Williamsport is precisely the force with which he filed from the Rappahannock through Jeffersonton (Culpepper County) up around the base of the Blue Ridge to Salem, where he unexpectedly flanked Gen. PORTER on no occasion in the after battles did the rebels display more than three times that force (60,000 in all.) Nor have we been able to hear of any escaped prisoner, deserter or other person capable of making an estimate of a force who rates them at over that strength.

Under all the circumstances within our knowledge, we are believers that the decisive engagement or engagements of the war are being commenced to-day between the Monocacy and the Blue Ridge.

From the Second Edition of the Star.

It turns out that the rebel force so near Burnside at daybreak this morning, was about six regiments of cavalry—evidently their rear guard. As troops of that description do not pretend to stand shelling long they doubtless showed him their heels after a few rounds. We anticipated a battle there to-day, under the belief that they were infantry; but as they prove to be cavalry we now see little chance for any engagement on the line of the river road, where a rebel force to prevent communication with Harper's Ferry may be posted, or in the rear of the Point of Rocks.

Apropos of the strength of the rebel army: A Virginia captain, of much intelligence, told a relative in Lexington, during the recent passage of Lee's army through it, that the rebel force was then 61,000, though Lee expected it would be increased 30,000 on reaching Maryland. We have heard this estimate from other parties, who had means of knowing, and it is the highest we have met with.

but state in writing the half of all that he had said, his statement would set me free. Mr. TOOMBS rejoined that he would do so with pleasure. On his return, first consulting with the "President" merely as a matter of formal propriety, he said that he would send my writing. This was yesterday. Why it should be proper to consult "the President" on a matter with which the Confederate Government had "nothing to do," Mr. CRANE either forgot or forebore to inquire, but he said, me immediately after this interview, and assured me that my release was only a "question of hours." A word now upon the man BAGGERLY. This individual, coming to me on the third day of my confinement, apologized for his apparent desertion of me, on the score of a sudden attack of illness, stated that he had suggested to insert in the Examiner a correct account of the facts connected with my arrest, which the editor of that paper had flatly refused to publish, and finally begged me to furnish him with the means of paying his bills and returning to Atlanta. This, of course, I did, and he received for the sum in the presence of my informant. On reaching Atlanta, I am told, he printed a flaming story of the great part he had played in capturing and coaxing a dangerous public enemy, and received much kudos in consequence from his fellow-citizens and the patriots of the South generally. When I remember that he might have stolen my trunks, and did not do so, I should be inclined to forgive this pious young gentleman (he was a Southern Methodist in good standing, I am sorry to say) his other eccentricities, even though I think it probable that I owe his forbearance in this respect to the accident of my forgetting to furnish him with money before I left the hotel. But to return to matters more important.

Not on Monday, but on Tuesday, came Mr. TOOMBS' promised note to Mr. CRANE. And thus it ran: "Mr. TOOMBS presents his compliments to Mr. CRANE, and begs to say, that after consultation with the President, the Confederate Government decline to interfere in any way in the case of Mr. HURLBURT, it not being within their jurisdiction!" This paper Gov. LETCHER, with some show of reason, utterly refused to receive as a discharge of the accusation upon which he protested that he had ordered my arrest. He no doubt considered it to be what it plainly enough was—a timid and cowardly evasion of the responsibility which had been temporarily imposed upon himself. So far, perhaps, Gov. LETCHER, as the French say, "was in his right." But it was evidently his duty in the then circumstances of the case to give me an immediate hearing, in such a form as might compel the Confederate Secretary either to implicate or to acquit me. This he did not do—but simply and stubbornly refused to release me, and so left me impaled upon this point of security between Mr. TOOMBS and himself. Meanwhile, my friends in South Carolina were not idle; and on the very day on which my hearing took place before Judge MERRITTE, a letter was received from Mr. TOOMBS by a gentleman in Charleston, which resumes the whole story of the Confederate Government in its relations to the people of the South, more eloquently than pages of description. The gentleman to whom I refer is a distinguished citizen of South Carolina, whom to name is to praise, a man venerable, less by his years than by his virtues, just, and tenacious of the right, not easily inflamed by the passion of the populace, not easily subdued by the terrors of power.

He had written to Mr. TOOMBS, urging it upon him to see me fairly dealt by, and Mr. TOOMBS replied to him, under date of July 2:

"I think the proceedings against Mr. HURLBURT unjust, foolish, and illegal. But he was in the hands of people who have little respect for Magna Charta, and who were very rancorous against him. Telegrams from the Secretary office seemed to lend such fertility to charges against him that anyone was afraid to interfere, or even to question them, lest he should be accused of complicity with a spy."

I need hardly call your attention, Sir, to the significance of this most extraordinary epistle, the whole of which I should publish were I not anxious to keep this letter within reasonable readable limits. Here is the Premier, by courtesy, of Mr. DAVIS' Cabinet, avowing himself afraid to interfere in arrest of proceedings "foolish, stupid and illegal," lest he should be "accused of complicity with a spy" by people who had "no respect for Magna Charta." Here is a man claiming the position and the consideration of a gentleman and a statesman, who, when he learns that he has only to repeat in writing to the Governor of Virginia what he had already stated in writing to a private citizen, in order to secure the liberation of a prisoner unjustly and illegally confined, utterly refuses to do so. Can evidence more emphatic than this be asked to show that the establishment of the Confederate Government was attended, in some parts, at least, of the South, with a disorganizing revolutionary influence pervading all ranks of society, unsettling the foundations of law, and preparing the way for the worst excesses of the worst forms of despotism?

The months of tedious imprisonment which followed this dead-lock between the Governments of Virginia and of the Confederacy, were passed by me in unceasing efforts to compel a hearing from one or the other authority. In the meantime, I witnessed the constant imprisonment of citizens of Northern birth upon the most frivolous charges, and more frequently upon no charge at all but that of "Yankeeism." I watched the gathering of the Southern forces in Virginia, and isolated as I was, I could not but see that before the decisive and fatal day of Manassas the preparations of the National army at Washington had begun to inspire into the most confident minds of the South a vague and passionate anxiety. There was the wildest talk of desperate defence and subterranean warfare. The roads leading from Manassas to Richmond were all to be mined—every town was to become another Saragossa—in short, all the puerilities of fear and fury abounded in the talk of men and in the articles of the Press. Then came the 21st of July, with its amazing catastrophe, scarcely credited at first, and when credited, transporting the whole Southern people from the middle air of doubt up to the seventh heaven of triumphant confidence.

It seems to me, Sir, that neither our Government nor our people have ever fully understood the enormous opportunities which the Southern victory of Manassas threw directly in our way. By nine men in ten at the South, I believe that victory was hailed as the substantial end of the war. It fortified all their expectations of foreign intervention; it suspended their organization of domestic defence. By its effects upon the temper and the judgment of our adversaries, the panic of the National troops at Bull Run offered to the National Government all, and more than all, the advantages which insured to the constitutional Government of England in 1745, from the incomparably more disgraceful panic of the British veterans at Preston-Pans. The essential diversities of character and of interests which separate the Slave States from one another, flamed up in the fancied security of their cause, and became flagrant. South Carolina claimed the glory of the day as hers; Virginia and North Carolina retorted by declaring that the troops of the Palmetto State had endangered the common hope by their misconduct under fire. President DAVIS, who reached the battle-field by accident, having only heard of the action while on the [illegible] of the generals in command, by claiming, or suffering others to claim for him, the final honors of the day; and Gen. BEAUREGARD, in his official report, put down the pretensions of the Executive, with a gracefully sarcastic allusion to his opportune appearance upon the field when the field was won. From the end of July, 1861, to the end of January, 1862, the South was in a condition to have been overwhelmed by a sudden and combined attack of the sea and land forces of the Union. The civil government of the Confederacy was falling daily into deeper contempt. Mr. TOOMBS had been removed from the State Department to make way for Mr. HUNTER, whose appointment was intended to conciliate and satisfy Mr. HUNTER himself, who had scarcely ceased upon the delights of office before he began to intrigue for an escape from the insignificance of a Cabinet Minister into the importance of a Virginian Senator. The election of Mr. DAVIS and Mr. STEPHENS to the permanent Presidency and Vice-Presidency of the Confederation, was hurried upon the South, and it had scarcely been accomplished before the Border States in particular began to murmur at the results, as part of a preconcerted programme for claiming them to the policy of the Gulf. In the Military Department of the Government, Mr. WALKER, of Alabama, a respectable nonentity, had made way for Mr. BENJAMIN, of Louisiana, whose hopes of escape from his own State had already begun to droop toward that final extinction which they received upon his overwhelming defeat in the candidacy for the Senate, and who consequently clung with desperate tenacity to the personal favor of President DAVIS. Entering upon his office as the President's Lieutenant, Mr. BENJAMIN administered it with so single an eye to the pleasure of his employer, as soon brought upon the War Department the mingled rage and contempt alike of soldiers and of civilians. Mr. DAVIS, with many qualities of no mean order, unless, as is well known, one deadly and depressing fault. He is a man of the bitterest personal prejudices, who lacks alike the magnanimity really to forgive and the capacity seemingly to forget the pettiest personal injuries. During the Fall of 1861, he estranged still further the already alienated sympathies of the Carolinians, by his obstinate persecution of one of their favorite officers, Col. RIPLEY, their "hero of Fort Moultrie," and he gave marked offence to Georgia by his inexhibility to the claims of one of her most conspicuous sons, Gen. W. H. W. WALKER. Col. RIPLEY, at the time of Mr. DAVIS' disgraceful attack as Secretary of War of the United States upon Gen. SCOTT, had sided with the General, and written an article reflecting severely upon the course of the Secretary. For this old offence Mr. DAVIS, become President of the Southern Confederacy, resolved to punish Col. RIPLEY, who was accordingly "overslaughed" six times in the promotions to the rank of Brigadier-General, nor were his claims acknowledged at Richmond till, upon a rumor of his intended resignation, the Charleston newspapers began to mutter ominously against the Confederate Government. In the case of RIPLEY, Mr. DAVIS' obstinacy had very serious consequences. Instead of intrusting the coast defences of South Carolina to RIPLEY, with a rank proportioned to the importance of the post, Mr. DAVIS confided the question of the Carolinian defences to Gen. GONZALEZ, a well-known Cuban adventurer, who came on from Charleston to Richmond and reported Hilton Head "impregnable," just about six weeks before it was captured. The offence offered to Gen WALKER, which brought on the resignation of that officer from the Confederate army, and his appointment to the rank of Major-General in the Army of Georgia, seems to have followed from a systematic attempt on the part of the rebel President to create a Staff of Generals independent of State influences, and dependent upon himself alone, as a means of counterveiling the growing popularity and State strength of such men as PRICE in the West, BEAUREGARD in the South, and JOHNSTON in Virginia. With this object it was that GUSTAVUS W. SMITH, MANSFIELD LOVELL, and HENRY HETH were raised to high rank, and detailed to important commands over the heads of Southern officers much their superiors in service and in ability. The final results of this Presidential policy belong to my next letter. Suffice it now to say, that before I left my first prison I had obtained ample evidence to show that the Confederate Government was sinking rapidly in the estimation of the Southern people, and that, in consequence of its unpopularity and incapacity, the military condition of the South was becoming far from satisfactory to the best informed Southern men. Early in October I heard from a distinguished officer at Manassas, who wrote, "the men are dying like dogs and are buried worse than dogs. The army is dispirited, demoralized, disorganized. We are robbed at every turn by commissaries and quartermasters—and in the next battle it is my belief that we shall be terribly whipped." The effective force of Gen. JOHNSTON had then fallen below 40,000 men. Disease had invaded the camps, and constant futile alarms harassed the men. How often the signal of two, three or five rockets roused the men from their rest in those weary months Southern officers writing the history of that strange season will one day, perhaps, have the candor to tell. At New-Orleans Major-Gen. LOVELL found a half armed force of 15,000 men, and a half completed steam ram, the contractors for which, Northern men and connections of Secretary MALLORY, were plodding away with ten hours a day of work as calmly as if no distant National thunders were gathering below the ominous silence of the horizon. Gen. ALBERT JOHNSTON, in like manner, found himself called upon to hold Columbus and Bowling Green, to keep Tennessee and to control Kentucky with but little more than a division of men. Over the whole land brooded the spirit of the new War Secretary's openly avowed belief that the war which ought to have ended in September must infallibly end in January. What our own Government was doing during all these months of golden opportunity, you, Sir, know better than I. But while the Southern Government was thus dissipating itself in a dreamy "Fool's paradise," the people of the South were preparing the means for that stern and strong uprising which has astounded us all during the present year. They were planting corn in the stead of cotton; they were developing industries which nothing but the war could ever have called into being upon their soil; they were driving a brisk trans-blockade commerce with the West Indies and with Europe; they were learning a lesson of independence and self-confidence which it will be no light task for us to force them to unlearn. Upon these points, also, it will be proper for me to defer a more extended summary of my observations to a subsequent letter.

Let me now resume the thread of my personal narrative. I had come to the conclusion that I was to be left to perish unheard in my dungeon (for this name I may, without exaggeration, give to the miserable cell assigned to me,) and I had in consequence nearly completed my arrangements for an attempt at escape, when, on Aug. 26, I received a letter which changed the whole aspect of affairs. Mr. T. R. R. COBB, of Georgia, a member of the "Provisional Confederate Congress," had been written to by one of my friends on the subject of my arrest. From him he received the day above-mentioned, that nothing could be done for me, "as the Government had indisputable evidence that I was traveling in the South as a correspondent of the NEW-YORK TIMES." Here then at last was a charge, tangible, definite, to be proved or disproved. I at once demanded to see Mr. COBB as the inventor of a fool or a forger—and demanded to be confronted with the aforesaid "indisputable evidence." For weeks I urged this demand in vain—upon Mr. COBB—upon Mr. BENJAMIN, (of whom I heard that he openly expressed his "regret at being obliged to abandon his interest in my behalf by this overwhelming proof of my guilt,")—upon Mr. DAVIS. Late in September I learned that Mr. SAMUEL EVANS had been appointed Commissioner of the Confederate States to examine into the cases of political prisoners. To him, of whom I knew only his reputation as a man of character and breeding, I wrote, requesting him, if I fell within his jurisdiction, to give me a hearing. This he finally consented to do, and on the 3d of October, I saw the "indisputable evidence" which had kept me for months in a felon's cell. It was a scrap of paper professedly found upon a prisoner taken at Manassas, July 21, addressed upon the back to "Wm. H. HURLBURT, British subject, traveling in the South for the benefit of his health," and dated at "New-York, July, 1861." It thanked me for "communications deemed important at headquarters;" it begged me to "write to H. R." (Mr. RAYMOND's initials being H. J. R.); it became cabalistic with stars, suns and crosses, and finally wound up with the pleasing information that Congress would "meet on the 4th of July and give the d—d rebels hell!" There was not the least attempt to imitate the hand-writing of Mr. RAYMOND, and the whole thing was so open and shameless an invention, that it would be a gross insult to the intelligence of Mr. BENJAMIN, or of his most incapable colleagues, to suppose that for an instant either of them could have believed such a document genuine. I requested to see the prisoner upon whom this precious "evidence" had been found. His name, I was told, was WINSOR, and I was asked if I knew such a person in the *Times* Office. I replied that I had had no relations with the Press for nearly a year, but that I certainly remembered the name of WINSOR as that of an *attaché* of the New-York TIMES, during my connection with that journal. Could I see Mr. WINSOR? Mr. WINSOR was sent for, but Gen. WINDER returned for answer that in moving from one prison to another, Mr. WINSOR had escaped! In point of fact, sir, I now learn that Mr. WINSOR, of the New-York TIMES, was neither captured nor even present at the battle of Manassas; that he has never been in Richmond, and that he is now with our army in South Carolina. By whom this miserable document was forged, or by whom the name of Mr. WINSOR was suggested to the forger, is a mystery which it imports the Confederate Government infinitely more than myself to explain. I leave the story without one word of note or comment, to brand upon the brows of all whom it concerns the infamy which they deserve.

In November I was removed, upon an order from Mr. LYONS, to a more decent and comfortable prison, that of Henrico County, where I found a really kind and intelligent keeper in charge, and where I was allowed to supply myself with some few of the necessary features of civilized comfort. A report having been handed in by the Commissioner, recommending my discharge early in November, no notice whatever was taken of it until the 8th of January, 1862, when an order arrived from Gov. LETCHER for my unconditional release. This order was brought by a Confederate officer, who requested me to accompany him to Gen. WINDER, the military governor of Richmond. Gen. WINDER received me civilly enough, and thus addressed me: "I will not detain you, Mr. HURLBURT. I am directed by the Secretary at War to say that you are discharged from custody." I bowed, and "left the presence." By whom had I been released—by the Governor of Virginia, or by the Confederate Secretary at War? "Under which King, Bezonian?" Who rules in Virginia to-day—what authority is there paramount you will perceive, Sir, remains still a question not to be answered, perhaps, till the sword of the Union shall settle the problem, or the once United States resolve themselves into a worse than Mexican anarchy.

Immediately upon my release, I presented a written request for a passport to return to the United States. My request was returned to me the next day with this indorsement: "This passport is refused. J. P. BENJAMIN, Secretary at War." From that moment I had the "Confederacy" for my jail, and myself for my jailer. The observations which during my subsequent stay in the Confederate Capital I was enabled to make, and the results of opinion to which they have brought me, must form the substance of a third letter, for which I crave your patience.

Subscribing myself,

Very truly your servant,

WM. HENRY HURLBURT.

Obituary.

Lieut. J. M. GRUMMUN, of the Fourteenth Regiment of Brooklyn, who was wounded in the late battle of Bull Run, died in Washington on the 9th inst., and was buried from his late residence in Brooklyn, on Saturday last. The funeral was largely attended by his family, friends and military associates.

After encountering, unhurt, all the perils of that day of dreadful fighting, and greatly distinguishing himself by unflinching bravery, he was struck just as the regiment was retiring to their quarters for the night, by a stray ball, which severed the main artery of the thigh. Tying his handkerchief round the limb above the wound, he twisted it tight with a bayonet, thus extemporizing a tourniquet.

He remained on the field, without surgical assistance and alone, nearly all night, faint and suffering, but still desperately clinging to the bayonet, which he could perceive, was only partially staying the flow of his life-blood. At was thirty-six hours after he was hurt before he reached the hospital at Washington. His wound was then attended to, but the next day it broke open a vein, and when the surgeon came, after a long delay, to stay the hemorrhage, it was too late, and he passed beyond the reach of human assistance.

Lieut. Grummun was taken prisoner at the first battle of Bull Run last year, but escaped, his captors (a company of Virginia Cavalry) while in pursuit, basely driving their horses over him, and leaving him behind, supposing him killed. He was again subsequently taken prisoner while in command of a company of his soldiers, who did not yield until overpowered by greatly superior numbers. He was taken to Richmond and remained there several months confined in the famous tobacco warehouse. After his return a highly interesting account of his imprisonment was published in the Times.

Mr. Grummun came from a highly respectable old family of Elizabeth, New-Jersey. He was a man of very remarkable purity of character. Brave, earnest and true, he saw no other course, when the war broke out, but to offer himself up for his country. He preferred to enter the ranks of his regiment as a private, where he had in times of peace held a commission, thinking that he could in this way be more useful to the men by his example and encouragement. He was a rare and noble instance of devotion to his religion, to his country, and to his military duty. No soldier has fallen in this war who will be more deeply and sincerely mourned than the good and gallant Lieut. Grummun.

Arrival of the Store-ship National Guard from Key West.

The United States store-ship *National Guard*, W. Lee Hay, commander, from Key West, Sept. 7, arrived at this port on Friday. She left at Key West the United States flag-ship *St. Lawrence* and gunboat *Huntsville*.

The health of the inhabitants and soldiers had greatly improved.

The list of officers of the National Guard is as follows: W. Lee Hay, Acting Master; Thos. Southard, Executive Officer; George G. Redfield, Paymaster; J. P. Gilbert, Surgeon; Frank Cargill, Paymaster's Clerk.

JOHN CARNELL, boatswain's mate, died on the passage.

USE OF CAVALRY.

The Efficiency of our Army in Cavalry.

To the Editor of the New-York Times:

Throughout the breadth of the land, among [illegible] have given their means and cherished sons—the query runs, what are the causes of the disasters to our armies in the late Virginia campaign, and of those at present threatening us in Maryland and on the borders of the Western States?

You and the editors of the *Evening Post* have, within a few days past, touched upon the most glaring cause. Persevere and you cannot help but remove it. Call to your aid the blade of the few among our 26,000,000 of loyal men who understand the theme, and let the people comprehend it, and you will render more efficient service to your country and its armies than the entire printed columns of the Press have done since the outbreak of the rebellion. I allude to the want of cavalry. You state that 600,000 men have been called for by the Government and no provision made for cavalry. Unless we consider ourselves greater masters of the art of war than experience of experience have made the Government of Europe, and are prepared by our superior skill exclusive in the field to substantiate the assumption, the greatest military error in the history of mankind stands out to the world as being at present committed by the War Department at Washington.

As a contrast to the principle of "no cavalry," advanced at Washington, allow me to make known to your readers the latest proportional distribution of cavalry, artillery and engineers in the corps d'armée of European States: Cavalry, one-quarter to one-tenth of the whole corps or division; one-quarter if war is waged in a flat country like Holland, and one-tenth if in a mountainous country like Switzerland. According to these established rules, even were the Southern States one succession of Alpine Mountains, 60,000 of the force demanded by the President should be cavalry. Artillery should vary from one-sixteenth to one-twentieth; one-sixteenth if the troops are raw levies; one-twentieth suffices if the infantry is composed of tried troops. The engineering body varies from one-eightieth to one-one hundredth, according as the theatre of war is a siege or in the open field.

War is a progressive science, and like all sciences, requires deep study to master. The result of ages of experience has fixed for this science certain rules, to deviate from which is *rash*. Among these rules, the above distribution of the various arms holds the most important place.

Since the first call of the President for 75,000 men, we have discarded, and the Government is still discarding, this vital law of military science; yet we pretend to respect science, and have held up to the admiration of the world our new-made Generals for their scientific proficiency.

The fact is, we have paid the penalty, and may waste every cent of Northern wealth, and the life of every widow's son in the Free States, and be no nearer our object than at present if we continue in our error.

Many may ask, why has not this been pointed out before? Simply, because nearly every man in the country, with the slightest pretension to military knowledge, if loyal, is in the field; those who are against us, though, even among us, are not going to help us correct mistakes. And article 26 of United States Army regulations prohibits all military men in service from holding any correspondence with the Press, or publicly discussing the means or measures of the Government or the service. Therefore, blundering systems wag on, from the fact that those whose business it is to correct them—although most willing—do not, from want of knowledge, and those who could point them out, have not the time, opportunity or permission without violating the rules of the Army.

We have a task before us; by the will of God, sooner or later, we will accomplish it; this year or next—on the principle, that if 100,000 men can't, a 1,000,000 shall. But we are not going to subjugate the rebels or hold them so on a territory of 1,400 miles of longitude by 600 of latitude, and at the same time despise an arm, without which a Marshal of France or a Russian or German Duke would not start 40,000 men from their garrisons.

In justice to Gens. SCOTT and MCCLELLAN, it is meet to be known that circumstances of an extenuating nature existed at the commencement of the war, for the neglect of the indispensable arm of cavalry by the leaders. It was a branch of the service incomplete—we had only three or four regiments, never anticipating the use for more with any enemy with which we might become engaged in war—consequently our officers versed in cavalry were few, for the arm is a special one, and no infantry officer, unless very young, can ever make a good cavalry officer. The experienced officers from our mounted regiments, who could be spared from their troops, were occupied in higher stations, as generals or colonels instructing the volunteer infantry; our tactics were incomplete; in reality we have no other than a literal translation of the French, and the laws of the United States; and these tactics are in conflict. The laws of the United States know no difference in the officering of regiments of cavalry or infantry, whereas the former require about twice the number of the latter, according to the tactics in use. At the outbreak of the rebellion, the people counted upon the loyal men of the South and anticipated suffocating treason in six months.

At the time, many among Northern men were well versed in the Infantry battalion drill, owing to the uniformed Militia regiments throughout the various States, but few, if any, knew aught of Cavalry. The trotting-horse and wagon had completely set the saddle aside; and, according to our translation of the French Cavalry tactics, 950 days or lessons are necessary to render a trooper fit to join a squadron, or a year before he is a perfect Cavalry man. It is no wonder that our Chief said: "We must dispense with cavalry; ere we can use it the war will be over." But times have changed; we have seen that we were mistaken, and now is the time to correct our error; and moreover, with the excellent material we have, intelligent men, the best of horses, if not *supplied by contract*, we can have mounted and drilled before the Spring, the 100,000 or 150,000 cavalry the country requires.

Every division of the army, aside from the reserves and scouts, should have 100 cavalry men to every 1,000 men of foot; this cavalry to live and die with their division. In every great action in the field, one opportunity, and at times more, offer for the use of the cavalry reserve; but often, ten times in an hour, chances occur for the use of division cavalry.

To the deficiency in cavalry may be attributed the late disasters to Gen. POPE. He could not fetch, nor MCCLELLAN send him supplies for want of escorts. In your paper of the 10th, you cite many instances; a hundred more could be shown. Cavalry has always been the most available arm of the weak and daring, therefore the rebels are now most wisely taking their cue from the tactics of FREDERICK the Great, who, with 5,000,000 of subjects, held his own for seven years, against the great coalition, commanding at one time 100,000,000 of inhabitants. FREDERICK struck where least expected, beat his adversaries by cavalry. That of Seydlitz, one of his greatest victories by cavalry. That of Seydlitz, one of the most brilliant of ancient or modern times, he gained over the French by his horsemen, under the renowned SEIDLITZ.

The French Republic found the cavalry of France nearly as inefficient as our own is today. NAPOLEON I., as if by magic, brought it to life; made MURATS and KELLERMANS, and by their vast number and massive columns remedied at the start, their want of instruction, and experience. At Ratisbonne, in 1809, at Leipsic, in 1813, the remnants of NAPOLEON's cavalry, without scarcely drawing a sabre, created the greatest shudder among the infantry of the Germans. To those who may state that cavalry is useless in marshy ground, I would remind that where infantry can go light artillery can follow; in 1813, at Dresden, and in 1814, at Chateau Thierry, the Prussian Hussars, floundering at a walk through the mire, destroyed the French infantry.

For those who may think that from the improvement in range and precision of rifled cannon and musketry the system of war has changed, it is well to know that no European nation has diminished its cavalry. Russia retains even her Cossacks; and France, in Algiers, lately augmented her force of irregular cavalry, the Spahis, on the principle that horsemen can surprise, attack and destroy. Before infantry can overtake the [illegible] NAPOLEON III., in his campaign in Italy, spurred on his men by the words—"Rifled arms are only dangerous at a distance." Without cavalry no victory can have decisive results, where the enemy has the common sense to keep open his line of retreat. Had we entered Richmond, would we have taken the rebel army? No!

Then let it be insisted upon by those who are paying for this war, that the most competent man in the United States be designated by the Government to organize a large body of cavalry—to be done at once. Give the command with a view to competency and *then* throw favoritism aside; take from other corps in the army every officer competent, or of the necessary qualifications to make a good cavalry soldier. Let, as in Europe, every regiment have its Master at Arms and aids, to teach each individual horseman the use of the sabre, whether on foot or mounted. This is the arm on which he must be taught to rely; and let not the cavalry recruit idle at recruiting stations without instruction until he is mustered off to the war, where he becomes neither horseman nor infantry. Such a trooper, in an action, will prefer remaining at shooting distance to rushing on his enemy—from the fact, that through want of instruction, he has no confidence in the sabre pending at his side.

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THE GREAT EXHIBITION.

The Germans in London and the German Courts of the Exhibition—Curiosities of all Sorts—Bank of England Notes—A Successful Forger.

From Our Own Correspondent.

LONDON, Tuesday, Aug. 27, 1862.

That "large class of persons called Germans" (there are ever so many thousand of them at the Crystal Palace to-day, indulging in sundry athletic exercises, and singing—under adverse circumstances of tobacco and beer—the cherished songs of Fatherland,) are extensively represented in the Great Exhibition. Indeed, the Teutonic aspect of London, at present, can hardly fail to strike the least attentive observer. In the thoroughfares you meet groups of round foreigners dressed in green, and wearing soft hats of strange device, who take possession of the entire sidewalk, and keep step to one of their own songs as they wend their way to Kensington; or you see them lying in ambush for an omnibus, which, as soon as it makes its appearance, they summarily take possession of by clambering over the wheels and the windows to the roof, and generally swarming in, on, and over the vehicle like ants, to the dismay of the British policeman, whose duty it is to see that the conveyance only carries twenty-four passengers, and the delight of the conductor, whose blissful visions of "a load" are for once realized. If you descend that damp sepulchre, the Thames Tunnel, you will see it peopled with them; if you go to the top of the monument you will find yourself jammed against the railing by a portly person, with a traveler's satchel round his neck and a single-barreled opera-glass in his hand; if you take a boat for an hour's row on the river, the chances are ten to one that you will be run down by a party of Northern strangers frantically endeavoring to navigate their frail bark by pulling both ways. So all-pervading and important is the transitory German element in the English metropolis, that you hardly pass a shop that has not the sign "*Hier spricht man Deutsch*," in the window. (Will you step into my parlor says the spider to the fly.) Up to 1851, the English divided the outside world into three classes—Frenchmen, Jews and Savages—they have now added a fourth, and the classification stands—Frenchmen, Jews, Savages and Germans.

Of all the exhibitors in the Great Show, the Teutons alone have entered into the true spirit of the Royal Commission. They have never neglected an opportunity of turning an honest penny; never for an instant pretended to regard the affair as anything more than a glorious chance for gratuitous advertising. It is far safer to trust yourself in a fancy bazaar than to pay an unguarded visit to the German Courts. There is not an article in that vast collection that will not be pressed upon you by the eager attendants; everything, in fact, is a sample; every attendant a salesman; every attempt at show a good realization of shop. You may give your orders at any stall, and in an hour they will be executed from a West End or city branch. A gentleman who rooms next to me, and belongs to a volunteer rifle regiment, has just received an opheleide which he purchased in the Austrian department yesterday. He is at this moment practicing the scale. I feel that the life of that brave defender of his country is in danger and that an awful crime may bring this correspondence to a close. What right has any man to make my table shake with a double C from an abyss of brass.

Maiden-lane, in fact, is represented on a very large scale, but there are many things that more justly claim the admiration of the visitor than toys, porte-monnaies and meerschaum pipes. The Saxon china from Meissen, near Dresden, rivals, but no longer surpasses, in attractiveness the ceramic productions of other countries. Not many years ago it had a monopoly of the market, but Prussia, England and Italy now contest the palm with the Saxons, and even Gotha and Bavaria send admirable specimens to the present Exhibition. I have no intention of going into raptures over a dinner-plate, believing, indeed, that all the painters in the world cannot make that article look as truly pictorial as it does when a good beefsteak is upon it. Still, for a man who is not hungry there is a great deal to admire in the art of the maker of these fanciful specimens of useful manufactures, and there are people who rave about china as bibliopoles do about books. Next in importance to the display of porcelain and china is the display of glass, principally from Bohemia, or made on the Bohemian plan by adjacent states, and still unsurpassed in beauty of form and happy blending of color. In the olden times the Venetians possessed goblets that were shattered with the first touch of poison; there are some goblets here that look as if they would break without the slightest touch of anything. Thousands of articles in both these branches have been disposed of since the opening of the exhibition, [illegible] (the prices are always marked on them) and elegant. In common and imitation jewelry the Germans have their own field to find business, and make a fine display. In bronze mostly from Pforzheim, in Baden, and is commented by lightness and cheapness. In the higher branches of the goldsmith's art there are but few exhibitors, and only two specimens of good [illegible] and workmanship; namely, the splendid silver plate presented to the Prince and Princess of Prussia on their marriage, by the city of Berlin, and a shield of silver, presented by the Hanseatic nobility to the same fortunate couple. The Hanse towns—Hamburg, Frankfort and Lubeck—[illegible] strongly represented, especially Hamburg. The attention of visitors is first attracted by a statue of Arminius sheathing his sword, after having defeated the Romans, with his foot resting on the Roman Eagles. The design is by [illegible], of Hanover, and is elegant, although somewhat commonplace. What is especially interesting about this statue is that it is made of gutta percha, a material which the designer chooses in preference to marble, because, forsooth, it allows superiority, and enables a [illegible] to comparative cheapness adds the advantage of easy manipulation and durability of sharp lines. Casts of any size may be made in this material and at a mere fraction of the cost for bronze. The chief feature of the Hamburg display is furniture. Chatham square is not a circumstance to this forest of tables and chairs. All the known woods are exhausted, and deer-horn is pressed into the service. There is a "set" made of the last mentioned substance. It consists of a centre table, a looking-glass, a glass rack, a reading desk and a chandelier. The table has a rosewood slab, inlaid with the representation of a hunting scene,—the stand and legs being formed of stag horns, between which are arranged the stuffed heads of foxes and hares and wild ducks. This extraordinary description of ornament is preserved throughout the set, and produces a good effect. The looking-glass has a frame richly carved with ivy and oak leaves, and at its foot lies a young fox. The chandelier has in its centre a stuffed owl with outspread wings, and the glass cups are covered with carvings in deer-horn and amber. With such a "set" and a few human skulls, it would not be difficult to get up the Glen scene of "Der Freischutz" in one's own back parlor.

What rubber is to an American leather is to a German. It is the substance from which he makes an infinite number of articles, and to which he always appeals when in doubt about a suitable material. The Austrians have brought the use of leather to a point of excellence and general utility that is really astonishing. Leather portmonnaies and leathern card-plates, picture and mirror frames, scent bottles, ladies' reticules, traveling bags, portfolios and dressing-cases are but a few of the things made of leather. There are articles of Chinaware cunningly inlaid with leather, flat plates, convex and concave plates, with wood and leather borders, so ingeniously blended that you cannot for the life of you say which is which. Some of these leathern wonders exhibit the highest triumphs of ornamental art, especially as may be supposed, of bookbinding. There is, notably, a Bible which bears off the palm as the most costly and beautiful specimen of work in the Exhibition. The binding is in leather, overlaid with ornaments in garnets and malachite, the whole cased as it were in an armor of gilt bronze, beautifully chased. The two large designs on either cover represent, on the side of the Old Testament the Original Sin, on the side of the New the Act of Redemption. This is but one of numerous masterpieces in this difficult but beautiful art. The Austrians are equally successful in their Educational Department, especially in all that relates to Geographical study. Their raised maps and plans are without equals. So also are the Meerschaum pipes, although exaggeration of form has in many instances rendered these luxurious articles utterly useless for the purpose of the smoker. There are pipes so long and heavy that WINSHIP himself could hardly lift them with his teeth. I have darkly hinted elsewhere at the musical instruments in this department. They are of all kinds, from the military double-bass, which goes round the performer like a boa-constrictor of brass, to the musical glasses. There is a troubadour in the next room at this moment sounding the praises of Austrian handicraft in the first-mentioned line—let me speak only of the soft-toned harmonica. This instrument consists of a number of glass bottles, affixed horizontally to a shaft, which is put in motion by a lever worked with the foot of the performer. The sound is produced by the fingers, moistened with water, and impressed with the desired force upon the glasses as they revolve. The tone is peculiarly vivid, and strikingly exquisite. It can be sustained for any length of time, and all the middle parts of a composition can be brought out with clearness. The inflated glasses, in fact, are by this arrangement brought within the pale of artistic instruments. Would that my neighbor could wean himself of the sight-seeing and entertain a tender passion for the harmonica!

The Germans—Austrian or other—are great clock-makers, and exhibit some pieces that only require to be wound up every twelve months. Almost every country, it may be added, beats America in good, cheap, and elegant clocks. It was far different in 1851. In the department in which I am now sketching there are some specimens of furniture with joints so flexible, that chairs, tables, and bedsteads pack up easily in a common-sized wardrobe. But the most curious article in the collection is an ingenious piece of furniture called "the growing-child's bedstead." To the casual observer it appears to be nothing more than an ordinary crib, but the mechanism is so arranged that the sides will pull out to any length—in fact, it will grow with the child's growth, and enable a youthful Hercules to spread himself at his pleasure. Our old friend Procrustes, who used to chop off the outcropping heads and feet of such of his guests as could not accommodate themselves to the arbitrary dimensions of his couches, would be sorely puzzled with such a bedstead, which leaves no margin for the slaughter.

Not many weeks since I sent you an account of the processes employed by the Bank of England to protect themselves from the arts of the forger. Chief among these safeguards was the paper on which the notes are printed, and which has never been successfully imitated. An enterprising "smasher" has overcome this difficulty, and has thrown the old lady of Threadneedle-street into violent convulsions. The plan was simple enough; he broke into the mill where the genuine paper is made, and walked off with a few bundles. The mere engraving of the plate presented no difficulties, and hence a large number of forged bank notes are already in circulation. A man was arrested, yesterday, on suspicion of having passed three of the counterfeit notes, but it is hardly likely that he is the culprit. The Bank authorities have warned the public, and offered a reward of $7,500 for the apprehension of the guilty one. Neither plan will be of much avail, for there is such a field in distant places for cashing Bank of England notes, that a sensible forger would scarcely run the risk of trying to utter them here. Brokers in future must not attach too importance to the water mark, but must scrutinize the note seriously to tell if it be good or bad.

C. B. S.

LOCAL INTELLIGENCE.

Admiral Nocton's Sword.

We have already mentioned the fact that a sword, the gift of the citizens of Brooklyn, was to be presented to the gallant Admiral Farragut this evening. The weapon has been on exhibition for some days in Sec. 10 Court-house, and a large number of citizens have called to take a look at it. It is, perhaps, the most magnificent sword that has ever been made in this country—is gracefully proportioned, rich and tasteful in design, with mounted and hilt of gold.

The pommel represents a golden hemisphere, studded with stars, on which rests a branch of olive and oak, beneath a grouped trophies. The guard, which is perhaps the chief feature of the whole, is a superb piece of art, combining a trans-relief of Neptune rising through the sea. The figure of Neptune, bold and spirited, stands in the east, leaning upon his trident, at his feet are the spoils of victory; two vigorous sea-horses draw the car of the god, attended by tritons and sea-nymphs, bearing trumpets and wreaths of laurel for the hero. This trans-relief is enriched by open scroll and ornamental work, forming a rich and harmonious arrangement of lines, whose effect is exceedingly graceful. At the bottom of the guard is a boldly modeled head of a dolphin.

On the scabbard are a series of relievos, illustrating some of the prominent exploits of the bold sailor who is to be the recipient of the gift. First is exhibited Farragut's bombardment of the Chinese forts, with appropriate oriental emblems and scenery surrounding. The second exhibits his skillful and daring operations in the battle of the rebel batteries of Island No. Ten, in which the immense, but unwieldy mortar-boats are brought out in detail, and with great perfection—the mantlets, sides, port-holes, smoke-stacks, &c. of the battle-vessels being set forth with an accuracy which defies the closest study. There are also various reminiscences of the Admiral's never-to-be-forgotten operations on the Cumberland and on the Tennessee, as well as on the Mississippi. Further below, and toward the end of the scabbard, are emblematic allusions to Farragut's experiences and actions on the Western coast in bygone years.

The following inscription is also cut in the scabbard in a chaste and beautiful character:

"Presented by the citizens of Brooklyn to Flag-Officer ANDREW H. FOOTE, as a testimonial of their high personal regard, of their appreciation of his eminent professional character, distinguished public services and moral influence in the war against the rebellion, and of his zeal in the cause of freedom, in the suppression of the Slave-trade on the Coast of Africa; his gallant conduct in the destruction of the Barriers in China; his masterly skill and energy in the capture of a Selima, and of his brilliant and fearless conduct in the battle of the Mississippi, in the Tennessee, the Cumberland and the Mississippi."

The sword blade is by long a master-piece of workmanship, and embraces the finest Damascus, richly covered with artistic designs, and near the hilt, surrounded by ornamental scroll work, is the patriotic motto, "Deus nostra patria."

The whole thing, in conception and in execution, is unequaled by any sword ever made in the United States. The exquisite artistic designs on the scabbard and blade were moulded by the distinguished American artist of this City, J. Q. A. Ward, who, though heretofore employed in works of greater magnitude and repute, has, in these designs, shown a wonderful facility and scope of genius. It is rare indeed that a genuine artist is employed on such labor, as the work is usually assigned to mechanics, who merely reduced old and worn out designs. It reflects the greatest credit on the manufacturers of the sword, Mr. Ames, of Cutlerpee, (Mass.) that he has secured the very first order of native artistic talent to model these designs; and the sword will remain no less an evidence of American art and skill than of the heroism of the great sailor to whom this night it will be presented.

Military Wards of the Jews Hospital.

The Charity Hospital of the Jews was opened for military invalids on the fifth of July last, and has, up to the present time, recorded but seven deaths, these being cases that were brought to them when the wave at a low ebb. These first wounded were received from James Island, and they have had their share of care over the various arrivals of sufferers, after each of the succeeding engagements. The beds are not restricted to the use of the Jews, but all share alike in bodily attendance, while spiritual needs are not overlooked, but meet with that support which seems most genial. The resources of this hospital are not extensive, which is in itself creditable to the people, who rarely demand assistance as paupers. There are but two of its roomy well-adapted wards set apart for military uses, each of which is supplied with male nurses, no female assistants ever being employed. The wealthy and sympathetic ladies have interested themselves in behalf of our loyal invalids here, as elsewhere, and plenty of delicacies are furnished. Cleaning seems to be the one thing needful, and hoped for more than realized. The Government supplies have not arrived when noticed, and the necessary comforts have been in part donated by societies and private sewing circles. These suits are substantial in material, and far better made than some specimens turned out from the contractors' shelves. There are remaining in the Hospital at present only twenty-five patients, all of whom bid fair for speedy recovery, minus though they be of some one or another important member wherewith to make their way through the world.

Movements of the Military.

ARRIVAL OF THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-EIGHTH REGIMENT, N. Y. V.

The One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Regiment, N. Y. V., commanded by Col. JAMES WELLING, arrived in this City on Saturday last, from Auburn, where it has been raised. On arriving here the men were at once marched to the Park Barracks, where they have since been quartered. This morning, at an early hour, the regiment will leave for the Capital, by way of Amboy. The majority of the men are fine, athletic young fellows, all of whom are thoroughly armed and equipped. Subjoined is a roster of the officers:

Field—Joseph Welling, Colonel; Wm. H. Seward, Jr., Lieutenant-Colonel; Edward P. Taft, Major.

Staff—Theodore Dimon, Surgeon; Henry P. Kessler, Quartermaster; Thomas R. Wasson, Adjutant; Samuel A. Sabin, First Assistant Surgeon; Byron De Witt, Second Assistant Surgeon; Warham Mudge, Chaplain.

Company A—James W. Snyder, Captain; James H. Hyde, First Lieutenant; Rufus Campbell, Second Lieutenant.

Company B—Truman Gregory, Captain; Nelson F. Strickland, First Lieutenant; W. E. Greenwood, Second Lieutenant.

Company C—Loyal B. Alden, Captain; Harvey Follett, First Lieutenant; Marshall P. Burke, Second Lieutenant.

Company D—Charles L. Lyon, Captain; Amos S. Wood, First Lieutenant, Samuel C. Redgrave, Second Lieutenant.

Company E—Selah Cornwell, Captain; Seth F. Swift, First Lieutenant; George Stoyell, Second Lieutenant.

Company F—Charles Burgess, Captain; George W. Bacon, First Lieutenant; S. B. Lamereaux, Second Lieutenant.

Company G—William Wood, Captain; William Hawley, First Lieutenant; Seymour Woodard, Second Lieutenant.

Company H—John L. Crane, Captain; Tunis Vosburgh, First Lieutenant; Daniel Harmon, Second Lieutenant.

Company I—Hugh Hughes, Captain; Orson Howard, First Lieutenant; Philip R. Frescof, Second Lieutenant.

Company K—Irvin Squyer, Captain; Dennis E. Flynn, First Lieutenant; George P. Knapp, Second Lieutenant.

PRESENTATION TO CAPT. SAGE, OF THE FOURTH SENATORIAL REGIMENT.

An interesting ceremony took place yesterday at Camp Washington, at the afternoon parade of the Fourth Senatorial Regiment, Col. McDonnell, the second regiment of the Corcoran Legion. The regiment having been formed in hollow square, Orderly Sergt. John W. Garrett, in a neat address on behalf of the company, presented Capt. Sage with a splendid regulation sword and equipments. Capt. Sage responded appropriately. The following is the inscription on the sword: "Presented to Capt. Answorth B. Sage, of the Second Regiment Corcoran's Irish Legion, by the members of his command, as a token of their respect and esteem for a gentleman and a soldier."

WAR MEETING.

A war meeting is to be held this evening, at the Lecture Room of the Broadway Tabernacle, in aid of Companies Band G of the Irish Brigade.

GEN. MEAGHER'S IRISH BRIGADE.

On Saturday evening last Col. NUGENT sent off another contingent of Lieut. KELLY of the 69th Regiment, another large detachment of recruits to the headquarters of Gen. MEAGHER's command. The men who went on were the recruits, just before starting, of $100 each—the State and city bounties—which, with the characteristic generosity of Irishmen, they left to their families. The other several bounties had been previously paid them. The contribution to the Brigade from Messrs. ANDREW SEYMOUR & Co. has been gracefully acknowledged by Col. NUGENT in the following letter:

HEAD RECEIVING OFFICE IRISH BRIGADE, No. 298 BROADWAY, NEW-YORK, Sept. 12, 1862.

To Messrs. Andrew Seymour & Co.:

GENTLEMEN: Through DANIEL DEVLIN, Esq., Treasurer of the Irish Brigade, I have been notified of your handsome contribution of $200 in aid of prompt enlistments for Gen. MEAGHER's Irish Brigade. For, in behalf of the Brigade and its gallant General, I have leave to return you my most sincere thanks and to assure you that the amount shall be appropriated specifically. Yours, very respectfully,

ROBERT NUGENT,

Col. of 69th Regiment, Irish Brigade.

CORPORATE CITY NEWS.

THE GAS COMPANIES AND THE COUNCILMEN.—At the last meeting of the Board of Councilmen a resolution was adopted directing the Counsel to the Corporation to initiate the necessary measures for taking possession of the property and machinery of the New-York and Manhattan Gas Companies, in accordance with the provisions of their charters by which the City has a right at any time to assume proprietorship upon paying the Gas Companies a fair valuation for their property. There is no good reason why the city should not undertake the business of supplying the people with gas as they do with Croton water; and we trust the movement thus inaugurated by the Councilmen for squelching out these arrogant monopolies will be pressed to a speedy consummation. The indignation of the people toward these gas companies on account of their attempt to saddle their customers with the National tax upon their manufactures, knows no bounds, and will not be appeased until they are crushed out. Legislative action at Albany may be necessary for the complete protection of the people, and the present feeling in the public mind warrants the belief that any laws necessary to secure their deliverance from the cupidity of these monopolists will be enacted without hesitation. The stock of the New-York Gas Light Company is very seldom found in market, but there have been some recent sales at a premium of one hundred and eighty per cent. above par. In the face of this, the attempt of the directors to impose their galling National tax upon the poor consumers of their gas, is a piece of the most consummate impudence and check on record. In Brooklyn the companies are divided in their action; the Citizens' Gas Company announces to its customers that it is not its intention to exact from them the Government tax on gas. The Brooklyn Gas Company and the Williamsburgh Company will imitate the example of the overgrown monopolies in this City and make their customers pay the tax that should come out of the profits of the soulless Corporations.

THE CHARGES AGAINST THE CITY SURVEYOR.—The City Press almost unanimously censured Mr. R. GRAVES, the City Surveyor, for the carelessness with which he certified to amounts of work done by contractors, and particularly in the matter of the Fifty-ninth-street assessment, to all of whom the following note from Mr. GRAVES will be an answer, so far as any imputation of criminality on the part of Mr. GRAVES is concerned:

CROTON AQUEDUCT DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF ENGINEER, Sept. 13, 1862.

Mr. R. Graves, City Surveyor:

DEAR SIR: In reply to your communication, I beg leave to state that the first correction, or rather the correction in the first estimate, was made in accordance with the explanation appended by me to that return. After this was sent in, questions were raised by the assessed parties as to the accuracy of your estimate, irrespective of the quantities set down by me as loose rock, or rock taken out without blasting. I then went over the calculations myself, and by my calculations found the total quantity to be 1,250 yards less than the quantity calculated by the same levels by yourself.

Upon examining into the cause of this difference I discovered that you had made it in the base of your calculation, having started your side slopes from the bottom of the trench, instead of from the springing line of the arch of the sewer—returning probably no greater area than was actually taken, but more than the restrictions of the contract permitted. As this was the first sewer involving rock excavation in which you have been engaged, the difference was ignorance of my rules for restricting the measurements.

Your professional character has always seemed to me to be above impeachment, and certainly in this matter you appeared to be much more desirous to get at the facts of the case than to have a care for the professional appearance of an amended list. In other words, you seemed so unconscious of having done anything wrong in the matter as to be rather too careless as to what might be the suspicions of others.

I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

A. W. CRAVEN, Engineer, &c.

DOMESTICITY.—New-York bears itself regally in the midst of the reverses which have fallen upon the nation. The "promenade of promenades" is gay and glittering as ever, and has apparently lost nothing in the wealth of beauty or fashion, which throng its sidewalks. A trifle of difference may be sometimes observed in the *personnel* of the wearers of the costly silks and delicate laces, but it is simply a question of the size of a wrist, the length of the fingers, or a shade more or less of red to the skin, and scarcely mars the general magnificence of the effect. Individually, of course, the case would be altered; red elbows exposed through the thinness of *tulle*, and fluttering ribbons, would suggest "shoddy" at once; but in the street, everything resolves itself into one "bright undistinguishable mass," and here, and for all practicable purposes, such are as good as any others. Fashions, it was supposed, would be at a discount this Fall, women being too busy making jellies and flannel undershirts for the soldiers to care a straw for new bounets or silk dresses. Fondly cherishing this idea, husbands have generally been lavish in their supplies of sugar, thread, needles, etc., certain that patriotism would prove much more economical than French millinery, and hoping possibly that dyeing, and scouring, and remodeling old velvet hats, once indulged in, might become a habit. The results, however, will probably add another example to the vanity of human expectations. War taxes, high prices, even patriotism, seem to have had no effect in limiting the demand for the costliest of dry goods. Shelves groan beneath the weight of piles of the richest fabrics, and the windows display, as usual, miracles of genius in the bonnet-maker's art.

ASSISTANT FIRE ENGINEERS.—We understand that a special meeting of the Board of Foremen will soon be held in reference to increasing the number of Assistant Engineers, filling all vacancies, and making the terms of the newly-chosen candidates expire at the same time as the present Board, so that hereafter there will be no separate election for an Engineer for the Harlem District, and in the event of the death or absence of any one of the Chief's assistants, there can always be enough ready to discharge all the requisite duties. As the Board of Engineers now stand, of the old members, ELISHA KIRKWOOD is senior; TIMOTHY L. WEED stands second; JOHN BRIGG, third; WM. HACKETT, fourth; JOHN A. MCCOSKER, fifth, and GEORGE T. ALLEN, sixth. According to the forms of the Department, and the duty it performs, there ought to be from eighteen to twenty-four Assistant Engineers. At present there are but twelve. The sooner an ordinance passes the Common Council in reference to this matter, the better, as cold weather is not far off—the time for heavy work and large fires—and it would not be right to ask the old Engineers to do the same duty they did last Winter.

WORK FOR THE FIRE DEPARTMENT.—The City Fathers, always liberal to the Fire Department, have authorized contracts for a vast amount of Department work, as follows:

For building carriage for Hose Co. No. 22.
For building tender for Engine Co. No. 26.
For building truck for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 16.
For building a steamer for Engine Co. No. 5.
For building carriage for Hose Co. No. 4.
For building two new tenders for Engine Cos. Nos. 2 and 42.
For building carriage for Hose Co. No. 40.
For building steamer for Engine Co. No. 57.
For building house for Engine Co. No. 31.
For building engine for Engine Co. No. 25.
For building tender for Engine Co. No. 52.
For building tender for Engine Co. No. 6.
For building truck for Hook and Ladder Co. No. 9.

DISTRESSING OCCURRENCE.—A distressing case of destitution was developed in this City on Sunday. A woman was found by the Police lying on the sidewalk in Twenty-second-street, near Third-avenue, in a state of prostration, accompanied by a child 4 years old. She proved to be the widow of a soldier named LYNCH, who had been killed in one of the late battles, and had come from Montgomery County to seek employment. When found by the Police she was in the pains of labor, and gave birth to a child before she could be removed. Officer PLACE conveyed Mrs. and the two children to the Eighteenth Precinct Station-house, from whence she was taken to Bellevue Hospital, and properly cared for.

THE JEWISH RECORD.—A new journal made its appearance in this City at the close of the week. It promises to meet a want which has long been felt among the community of Israelites in our midst. The intrinsic character of the columns, embracing varied literary and scientific matter, indicate that the enterprise will be successful. Mr. J. S. COHEN, a gentleman connected with the New-York Press, is the principal editor and proprietor. The publication office is at No. 102 Nassau-street.

HARD FATE OF A HERO.—Capt. HARTSTENE, formerly of the United States Navy, for a long while an honored resident of this City, and the commander of the Grinnell Sir John Franklin Expedition, who joined the rebellion at its opening, has become crazy, and is now in an insane hospital in Georgia. The cause is said to be the complete destruction of his plantation in South Carolina by the hands of his own partisans.

SCARCITY OF JOLLY TARS.—Seamen are very scarce, and it is with much difficulty that crews are obtained for our merchant vessels. Wages for European voyages are $30 per month. The large bounties offered for enlistments in the volunteer land service have drawn away many of the tars from their legitimate calling.

BROOKLYN NEWS.

PARADE OF THE EMPIRE BRIGADE.—The regiments composing the Empire Brigade, paraded yesterday afternoon, at East New-York, and were review by the Commanding General and staff. The men presented a creditable appearance, and all passed off satisfactorily. The throng of visitors was immense. Every car leading to the camp was crowded to its utmost capacity; while many persons who were unable to find room walked to the ground. There were probably two hundred private vehicles about the camp during the day. The First Regiment is under orders to march, and will probably leave for the seat of war on Tuesday. It is barely possible that they will start to-day. The recruits on furlough are coming in, and from appearances, the regiment will march with full ranks. Officers and men are alike anxious to be off.

THE SECOND SENATORIAL REGIMENT.—Nearly 1,100 men were enlisted in this regiment, but when it left for the seat of war scarcely 600 were in the ranks. A large number had been permitted to go to their homes on furlough, and were not aware of the time the regiment would leave. Numbers of those have since reported at headquarters, corner of Nassau-street and Hudson-avenue, and on Saturday one hundred and twenty-five were sent off in charge of Sergeant HERRESSOR, to rejoin the regiment. A telegraphic dispatch from Philadelphia was received yesterday stating that fifteen deserted in that city. Several recruits reported yesterday, and it is probable that nearly all who have enlisted will turn up. They will be sent off as fast as they can be collected together.

THE NEW REGIMENTS.—Recruiting for the new regiments now raising—the Third Senatorial and the Fourth Metropolitan—has been rather dull during the past week. The number of men enlisted since Monday last, in each, does not exceed one hundred. Among those who have enlisted as privates in the Senatorial Regiment are Ex-Alderman TUMMY BARNUM, of the Twelfth Ward, and DAVID PARKINSON, Esq., who until recently monopolized nearly all the legal business in the Brooklyn Police Courts, but having been accused of being a Secessionist, he proved the contrary by enlisting as a common soldier, and is now doing duty as such in Camp Murphy.

SINGULAR DEATH OF AN INFANT.—Coroner NUGENT held an inquest yesterday, at No. 232 Walworth-street, upon the body of an infant, three months of age, the child of Mrs. O'NEILL, which was accidentally drowned in a tub of water. It appears that the mother, having occasion to leave her apartments, placed the child in charge of her son, who is five years of age. The boy set on a chest with the infant in his arms, and, falling asleep, it slipped from his lap and fell into a tub, containing a small quantity of water, but much more than sufficient to cover the bottom. On the return of the mother, she found the boy asleep and the child dead. She was almost frantic with grief. A verdict of suffocation, by accidentally falling into a tub of water, was rendered by the jury.

SERIOUS ACCIDENT ON A FERRYBOAT.—Mrs. MARY QUINN, residing at No. 41 Gold-street, was severely injured on Saturday on one of the Catharine ferryboats. The boat, in coming into the slip, struck forcibly against the fenders, causing Mrs. QUINN to fall under a horse's feet. The animal becoming frightened, trampled on her, and fractured some ribs in her breast. She was taken in charge by Officer KIRKLAND of the Forty-second Precinct, and conveyed to her residence.

FELL FROM A SECOND-STORY WINDOW.—Mrs. ELIZA MACKLIN, residing in Twenty-first-street, near Third-avenue, accidentally fell from a second-story window on Saturday, and although she struck the flagging, escaped with but slight injuries.

MONETARY AFFAIRS.

Sales at the Stock Exchange.... SEPT. 13, 1862.

$3,000 U. S. 6s, '81, reg.	99¾	100 Clev. & Pitts. R.	34¾
10,000 do	99¾	16,000 American Gold	112
75,000 U. S. 6s, '81, Cou.	99¾	75,000 do	b3 112¼
10,000 U. S. Treas. Notes	100	10,000 do	b3 112
10,000 U. S. 6s, 1 yr. Cer.	98¾	200 N. Y. Central R.	94¾
10,000 Tr. 7 3-10 ₱ cent. Notes	103¼	100 do	94¾
1,000 Ohio St. 6s, '76	105	100 do	s10 94¾
1,000 Michigan St. 6s	97	200 do	b3 94¾
1,000 Tenn. St. 6s, '90	60	400 Erie Railway	38¾
1,000 Ind. State 6s	86	100 do	s10 38¾
23,000 Mo. State 6s	46	35 Erie Railway Pref.	69¾
3,000 Cal. State 7s	102	200 do	69¾
10,000 Erie R. 1st M. B.	112	750 do	b30 70
10,000 E. R. 2d M. B., '68	107	50 do	s5 69¾
10,000 do	105¾	10 Harlem R. Pref'd	28¾
10,000 Erie R. 4th M. B.	93	100 Nor. & West. R.	25
1,500 B., N. Y. & E. 1st M.	98¾	10 do	54¾
3,000 do	99¾	500 Mich. Central R.	68
6,000 Hud. 1st M. Bds.	111¾	50 Mich. So. & Ind. R.	31¾
5,000 do	112	10 Mich. So. & N. I. G. S.	63¾
3,000 Hud. R. Sub. F. Bds.	103	100 do	63¾
34,000 M. Cen. 8 Pct. 1st M. S. Bonds	112	50 Ill. Cen. R. Scrip	62¾
1,000 Mich. So. 2d M.	89¾	200 do	62¾
1,000 Genesee Br. Bs.	101	50 do	s5 62¾
1,000 Ill. Cen. R. Bd.	102	50 Clev., Col. & Cin. R.	122
31,000 St. L., A. & T. H. 2d M.	94	50 Gal. & Chic. R.	72
3,300 C. & N. W. S. F. R.	92	50 Clev. & Tol. R.	b60 54
3,000 Chi. & N. W. 2d M.	90¾	400 do	53¾
5,000 Tol. & Wab. 1st M.	89	200 do	b3 54
1,000 Tol. & Wab. 2d M.	71¾	100 do	s10 53¾
12,000 do	71¾	100 Chi. & R. I. R.	61¾
1,000 M. & F. Du C. 1st M.	72¾	50 do	61¾
2,000 Pitts., Ft. W. & Chic. 1st M.	85¾	100 do	61¾
1,000 do	86	125 Chic., B. & Q. R.	87
7,000 Pitts., Ft. W. & Chic. 2d M.	81¾	50 Mil. & P. Du C. R.	32
20 Metropolitan Bank	98	100 Tol. & Wabash R.	21¾
50 Pacific M. S. Co.	110¾	200 Tol. & W. Pref.	47
		100 do	b60 42
		100 do	47¾

SECOND BOARD.

$25,000 U. S. 6s, '81, Cou.	99¾	100 Erie Railway Pref'd	71¾
8,000 U. S. 6s, 1867	97	150 do	s10 71¾
25,000 U. S. 5s, '74, Cou.	96¾	425 Hudson R. R.	52¾
5,000 Treas. 7 3-10 ₱ ct. Notes	103¾	50 do	52¾
5,000 California St. 7s	103¾	150 Mich. Cen. R.	68¾
500 Ohio St. 6s	99¾	150 do	69¾
20,000 E. R. 4th M. B.	93	100 Reading Railroad	60
10,000 Tol. & W. 1st M.	89	100 do	59¾
1,000 Tol. & W. 2d M.	71¾	600 do	s10 60¾
3,000 P., Ft. W. & C. 2d M.	81¾	400 Mich. S. & N. Ind. R.	32
20,000 Am. Gold	112¾	200 do	b30 33¾
200 Pac. Mail St. Co.	111	100 Mich. So. & N. I. G. S.	63¾
100 N. Y. Cen. R.	s30 94¾	100 Clev. & Pitts. R.	35
100 do	94¾	600 Clev. & Toledo R.	54
50 do	94¾	100 Chic. & R. Isl'd R.	67¾
600 Erie Railway	39	100 do	67¾
150 do	39¾	100 Mil. & P. Du C. R.	34
500 do	b3 39¾		

MONDAY, Sept. 15—A. M.

The Inland Trade and Foreign Commerce of New-York continue to show almost unexampled activity. Indeed, our great Railways and State Canals have never been so largely or profitably employed as at present. Our Commerce with Europe and the West Indies is also extremely active, and for the greater part in the Export trade of the country. The clearances for Europe the past week were in the value of Domestic Produce nearly three millions, and on the next return (to be made up on Tuesday,) will probably reach nearer four than three millions. To the agricultural products of the West we are now adding for sale in England a portion of the recent cotton receipts from the South-West. Most of these receipts come by rail; the remainder from New-Orleans and through the West-India ports. For the last week, they were about the largest of the season, viz.:

From the South-West.....5,650 bales.
Imported (through West-Indies).....474 bales.
Total at New-York for the week.....6,124 bales.

The *Persia*, on Wednesday, carried out 380 bales for Liverpool, and the *City of New-York* on Saturday, 111 bales (Sea Island,) for the same port. Other engagements for the present week have been made. Every bale, at present high prices, counts $250 to $350. The receipts of Grain inland for the past week were also very heavy, and the sales for export correspondingly large. The latest news from England represents a continued fair market on the other side. The business in meat Provisions exceeds that of last season. The receipts of Bullion from California and the express to Europe are at present nearly correspondent; so that the stock of Specie in Bank continues gradually to run up from the receipts by express from the interior. The average this afternoon will probably show about a million higher than last Monday—the amount in Bank, by actual count on Saturday, being $37,171,000. While the Banks have thus gained a million, the Export of the week amounts to $1,643,000. The Deposits at Bank on Saturday amounted to $144,015,000. The Loans show no important change from the previous week—less than three-quarters of a million increase. The market for Money is easier, at 4@6 ₱ cent. per annum to the Brokers. The price of Gold, which at one time advanced to 119¾@¾, fell back on Saturday to 118¾, as against 118¾ ₱ cent. at the close of the previous week. Exchange on London, 130¼ ₱ cent.

The Import entries of Foreign Merchandise continue on a comparatively liberal scale for September, and, owing to the high duties, including the gain to the Government by the transfer of Tea and Coffee from the free list, they are yielding a large Customs Revenue. The amount paid in on Saturday is $361,000, and for the week, $1,243,000. The United States Notes of the Custom-house issue—the outstanding amount of which is now reduced below one-half the original sum total to be absorbed—have advanced to 116 ₱ cent., and, should Gold keep up to anything near its present price, a further early rise in these Notes is not improbable. A great many holders keep them out of the market because of their gradual approximation to Gold.

The Stock Exchange was less excited through the week by War rumors, and although much dissatisfaction is felt, and the criticisms of the daily Press freely indulged, in reference to the mismanagement and bad leadership of the army heretofore, there is apparently a reviving confidence in the neighborhood of the Exchange that the worst has been seen. But whether this be really so or not, it is quite certain that the military situation, bad or threatening as it may be deemed by the public generally, has less to do with the current speculation in Wall-street than the returns of traffic on the Railways and the movements of our Inland and Foreign Trade. To this remark the price of Gold is, to a certain extent, an exception. That is, perhaps, governed more by the good or ill success of our armies in the field, and the threats of invasion by the enemy opposed to them. On Friday's advance in Gold, from the last named cause, it was found that it failed to control, as usual, the price of Exchange on London, and the consequence was the return of the quotation to 118¾@119¾ on Saturday. Silver keeps up to 115@116 ₱ cent., partly on a demand for Canada, where it is used in the smaller payments by the Provincial Banks.

The rise of the week of 1¾@2 ₱ cent. in the Railway Securities of New-York and the West is attributable, in a considerable measure, to the increasing business over nearly all these lines, and the diversion to the New-York Central and Erie, and to the Erie Canal, of a large share of the traffic from the West heretofore enjoyed by the Baltimore and Ohio and Pennsylvania Central. The near approach to a steady dividend basis of 7 ₱ cent. on the Preference Stock of the reorganized Erie Company, has also much to do with the buoyancy in the market for the New-York shares. On Saturday it was made known that the Erie Road had gained about $200,000 on the August traffic alone, over last season. And as only one month of the Railroad year—ending by the law of New-York on the 30th inst.—remains to be accounted for, and the capacity of the property to more than pay the entire interest charge—exclusive of the Common Stock—is thus made manifest, certain parties in the Street have purchased, within a few days, from 5,000 to 6,000 shares, advancing the price from 68 to 71¾ ₱ cent. The gross figures of the year are about as follows:

Ten months to Aug. 1.....$6,391,000
August earnings.....609,000
Total 11 months.....$7,000,000
Estimated for September.....650,000
Total for Railroad year.....$7,650,000
Interest charge:
On $20,000,000 Mortgages.....$1,400,000
On $9,600,000 Preferred Stock.....560,000— 1,960,000
Leaving for Expenses, Arrearages, &c.....$5,690,000

As the new Company was not fully reorganized until the 1st January of the present year, the dividend days of the Preferred Stock will probably be made in January and July. The arrearages yet to be paid off are in the shape of Assessment Scrip, which will probably be retired in October or early in November. The current mortgage interest, up to and including the 1st December, amounts to only $350,000. The Common Stock has advanced, in sympathy with the Mortgages and Preference Shares, to 39¼@39¾ ₱ cent. The gain on the traffic of the New-York Central, and, in a corresponding ratio, on the Hudson River Road, for the Railroad year, will prove very large, placing the gross revenue of the former over *nine millions* and of the latter over *two and a half millions*. The gain on the Erie Canal for the current season of navigation will be such as to place the gross income to the State from tolls near the unparalleled total of *five and a half millions*. The following is the general

COURSE OF THE STOCK EXCHANGE FOR THE WEEK.

New 6 ₱ ct. Stock of U. S. of '61	99¾	@100¼	99¾
New-York Central	93¾	@94¾	93¾
New-York and Erie	37	@39¾	37
Erie Preferred Shares	69	@71¾	69
Rock Island	66¾	@67¾	66¾
Michigan Guaranteed	63¾	@63	63¾
Michigan Southern	31¾	@32	31¾
Michigan Central	67¾	@68¾	67¾
Toledo	53¾	@54	53¾
Galena	71¾	@72¾	71¾
Illinois Central	61¾	@64	60¾
Panama	136¾	@141¾	136¾
Pacific Mail	109¾	@110¾	109¾
Missouri	45¾	@46¾	45¾
Tennessee	45¾	@46¾	45¾
Hudson River	50¾	@52¾	50¾
Harlem Preferred	28¾	@30	28¾
Cleveland and Pittsburgh	54¾	@54¾	54¾

The Railway Bonds, at the close of the week, were firm and in demand. The following are the bids of Saturday:

N. Y. Cen. 6s	104	L. C. & Mil. L. G. R.	82
N. Y. Cen. 6s, Subsid.	103	Chi. & N. W. 1st f.	87
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '84	104¾	Chi. & N. W. G. R. Ex.	77
N. Y. Cen. 7s, '76	111	Chi. & N. W. Arcs.	69¾
N. Y. Cen. 7s, Con., '76	112	Chi. & N. W. Arcs. sec.	52
Erie 6ths	115	Chi. & N. W. seconds	39
Erie 7ths, '78	103¾	Chi. & N. W. Appt. cpn.	50
Erie fourths, '80	97¾	Chi. & N. W. Int. Bds.	63¾
Erie 6ths, '89, Extended	92	Chi. & R. I. 1st m.	92
E. N. Y. & Erie Sinks '71	80¾	Del. Lack. & W. firsts	120
Hudson firsts, '60	111¾	Del. Lack. & W. seconds	104¾
Hudson firsts L. Bonds	102	Tol. & Wab. firsts	91¾
Hudson seconds, S.F., '66, '69	102	Tol. & Wab. seconds	71¾
Hudson thirds, '75	80¾	Tol. & Wab. Int. Bds.	72
Hudson Convrts., '67, '71	91	Mil. & P. du Chien lots.	46¾
Harlem firsts, '59-'73	107	Gal. & Chi. firsts	104
Harlem seconds, '64	102	Gal. & Chi. firsts, ext.	100
Harlem thirds, '69	95	Gal. & Chi. seconds	104
Mich. Cen. 8 Pct., '69-'72	108	Chi. & R. I. firsts	106
Mich. Cen. 8 Pct. '82-'112	112	Clev. & Tol. s. f.	95
C. B. & Q. 8 Pct. firsts	111¾	N. Jer. Cen. seconds	106¾
Mich. So. 1 Pct. secs.	88¾	Pitts. F. W. & Chi. lots	95
N. Ind. Central Line, '68	101	Pitts. F. W. & Chi. bds	81
M. S. & N. I. s. f. 7 ₱ c.	102¾	Pitts. F. W. & Chi 2ds	85
Ill. Cen. 7 ₱ c., '76	102	Clev. & Pitts. firsts	95
St. L. & T. H. firsts	61¾	Clev. & Pitts. seconds	89
T. H. & Alt. seconds	94		

The Import entries of the week, including the Dry Goods table in our Saturday's paper, were $3,346,142, against $2,585,315 same week last season. The Exports of Domestic Produce, $2,820,373, against $2,036,851 same week last year. The Exports of Specie, $1,043,000.

The tables of the Foreign Trade at New-York, published a few days since, make the Import entries, exclusive of Specie, for seven months of the calendar year:

Jan. 1 to July 31, 1862.....$105,372,009
Add six weeks since Aug. 1.....22,460,311
Total to date, 1862.....$127,832,311
Against same time, 1861.....96,947,256
Increase since Jan. 1.....$30,885,043

The same tables make the Export Clearances of Domestic Produce and Miscellaneous Goods, including Foreign articles reexported, from Jan. 1 to July 31, 1862.....$77,491,009
Add six weeks since Aug. 1.....18,935,659
Total to date, 1862.....$96,426,659
Against same time, 1861.....91,246,951
Increase since Jan. 1.....$5,179,708

The Exports of Specie from

Jan. 1 to July 31 were.....$97,944,000
Add since 1st August.....5,568,000
Total to date, 1862.....$103,512,000
Against same time, 1861.....3,557,000
Increase since Jan. 1.....$99,955,000

The earnings of the New-York and Erie Railroad for the month of

August, 1862, were.....$409,880 79
August, 1861, were.....410,009 00
Increase.....$169,870 83

CLEVELAND AND PITTSBURGH ROAD—1862.

Capital—76,000 shares of $50.....$3,800,000
Original mortgage.....2,000,000
Fourth mortgage to fund old claims.....1,200,000
Total as reorganized.....$6,800,000
Interest charge:
Seven ₱ cent. on $3,800,000.....$266,000
Six ₱ cent. on $1,200,000.....72,000
Rent to Pennsylvania Central.....50,000— 387,000
Gross traffic of fiscal year, 1861.....1,120,000

Traffic of 1862:

	1862.	vs.	1861.
December, (1861,)	$112,175		$65,572
January	95,072		80,208
February	76,047		56,054
March	80,206		82,400
April	100,094		90,511
May	116,972		101,792
June	105,603		104,167
July	127,406		115,316
August	120,000		90,163
Total, 9 months	$977,572		$776,581
Sept., Oct., Nov., estimated	400,000		343,199
Total, fiscal year	$1,377,572		$1,120,000

The reorganization of this property is, we understand, to be virtually completed. The Company have on hand a sufficient sum of the Fourth Mortgage Bonds to pay off the remainder of the old unsecured claims against the Road, and the current interest upon all the Bonds, including the fourth class, is promptly met. The operating expenses of the Road, exclusive of the rent to the Pennsylvania Central Company, (for the use of their line into Pittsburgh,) are about 50 ₱ cent. of the gross earnings. The New-York Transfer Agency has been fixed with the Farmers' Trust Company.

The last quotations for United States Securities by PETERSON & JACKSON, No. 25 William-street, are as follows:

United States 6s, Coupon, 1862	100	@ —
United States 6s Registered, 1862	99¾	@ ¼
United States 6s, Coupon, 1861	99¾	@ ¼
United States 6s, Coupon, 1868	99	@

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Amusements this Evening.

WINTER GARDEN—Macbeth.

BURTON'S THEATRE—Hamlet.

BARNUM'S MUSEUM—Clown Marion.

BUTON'S CHRISTIAN GARDEN—Two French Gay.

GEORGE CHRISTY'S MINSTRELS—Hall of Minstrelsy—No. 585 Broadway. Parlor Pieces Popular Tunes.

SCHAUS GALLERY—No. 765 Broadway—"Cincinnati and her Success" and Cosmo Fine Pictures, from 9 A.M. to 6 P.M.

THE WONDERS OF THE WORLD—No. 539 Broadway.

HOPE CHAPEL—Theresa's Children.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

THE REBELLION.

Our advices from Maryland this morning are of the highest importance. They indicate that the rebel army is retreating from that State much more expeditiously than they came into it, and that they are not making their escape unscathed. A dispatch from Harrisburgh states that yesterday morning heavy cannonading was heard at Hanover, Greencastle and Chambersburgh, proceeding from some point south of Hanover, no doubt across the Maryland line. From Baltimore we learn that cannonading was heard all day on Saturday in the direction of Harper's Ferry, and a dispatch from Frederick gives the explanation that it proceeded from an engagement at the foot of the mountains, on the road to Sandy Hook, with a rebel force of two thousand cavalry and three batteries of artillery. Gen. BURNSIDE passed through Frederick on Saturday morning, and the whole National army pushed on after the retreating enemy by every available road, and even crossed the fields. The reception of Gen. BURNSIDE in Frederick was a perfect ovation, the people turning out with the wildest enthusiasm; and when Gen. McCLELLAN entered the place, the streets and sidewalks were perfectly blocked with the enthusiastic masses, including a large proportion of ladies. Our latest advices from Frederick are to yesterday forenoon. They account for the firing heard on Friday. It was an artillery duel between Gen. PLEASANTON and the rear guard of the rebels, who were so hard pushed [illegible] forced to fall back to Middletown, [illegible] they were also driven in the [illegible] Saturday our cavalry had two [illegible] and so pushed them that they were [illegible] all of their wagon trains. This, in [illegible] Gen. FRANKLIN [illegible] cutting off a column from the rebels. LONGSTREET is said to have been repulsed at Harper's Ferry on Saturday afternoon, but at 6 o'clock yesterday morning the battle had been renewed in that direction, and the firing, as heard at Frederick, was rapid and heavy. It was expected that our main column would come up with the retreating enemy yesterday afternoon, and force them to a general engagement. Our troops were in fine spirits, and much elated at the cordial reception extended to them by the people of Maryland. All danger of an invasion of Pennsylvania may now be considered past, as the rebels will no doubt have enough to do to escape the destruction which they have courted. Gov. CURTIN, however, does not relax his preparations, but is determined to put the State upon a thorough war footing.

The news of a sanguinary battle and repulse of the rebels at Harper's Ferry comes to us with considerable circumstantiality of detail, in the Baltimore *American* of Saturday, as gathered from a gentleman who left Frederick on Thursday afternoon. The report was credited at Frederick, both among the Union men and Secessionists. It is to the effect that the rebel General LOREING had crossed the Potomac at Williamsport simultaneously with the crossing of JACKSON and LEE at Leesburgh, and taken the river road by the canal down the river in the direction of Harper's Ferry. A short distance above Harper's Ferry he attempted to ford the river with a large body of cavalry and infantry. When the river, which is nearly a half a mile wide, was covered with troops, Col. MILES opened upon them with his batteries, from Camp Hall and from the trestle-work of the railroad, with grape and canister, causing the river actually to run with blood, when the attempt was abandoned. The rebels had also previously made an attempt to storm the batteries on the Maryland Heights, and were repulsed by the masked batteries, scattering them and strewing the earth with the dead.

Gov. CURTIN telegraphed, Saturday, to Philadelphia that he wanted more troops in Harrisburgh at once; not to wait for the formation of brigades or regiments, but to send them on in companies. A prompt response was made, and in the evening hundreds of armed men were hurrying through the streets to the Pennsylvania Railroad Depôt. The Governor's urgent appeal was supposed to be in consequence of the report that a great battle was proceeding near the State line.

The Baltimore Police, having obtained intelligence that a squad of rebel officers were being entertained on Friday night at a house about seven miles from the city, a squad of them proceeded to the spot, surrounded the house, and captured the entire number, as well as their entertainers. Considerable booty was also captured.

The Harrisburgh *Patriot and Union* of the 11th inst. says there is no undue excitement in that city, but that all are actively though quietly preparing to give the rebels, should they approach, a warm reception.

Gen. REYNOLDS, an officer of the regular army, is to assume the command of all the active forces raised for the defence of the Cumberland Valley and Harrisburgh. The force which will be led forward by Col. CAMPBELL will be under the control of Gen. REYNOLDS, and all the operations from the vicinity of Harrisburgh will be under his direction.

The rebel attempt against Cincinnati has met with signal failure. The papers of that City of Saturday, bring us accounts of the retreat of the enemy, rapidly and in confusion. The roads were strewn with camp-kettles and other articles with which soldiers dispense when in a great hurry. A number of prisoners were taken. In a squad of eight who were picked up, were men from Arkansas, Texas, Georgia and Alabama. They said the force which marched upon Cincinnati was about twenty thousand strong, but had only one battery of six pieces of field artillery. That was HANGNEY'S Louisiana Battery. The rest of their guns were light howitzers, ineffective except at very short range. The rebel prisoners say that they retreat because they have not heard anything of Gen. BRAGG, whom they expected to support their movement, but they did hear that Gen. BUELL had massed his forces at Bowling Green, and was attempting by forced marches through Southern Kentucky to gain their rear.

We learn from Nashville, by a dispatch dated the 5th inst., that Gen. BUELL'S army was then hastening to the support of that city, which was menaced by the rebel forces under BRAGG. The city was being fortified, and was to be placed under command of Gen. THOMAS, with orders to defend it at all hazards. A portion of Gen. BUELL'S forces had been sent toward Cincinnati to pay their respects to KIRBY SMITH'S rebels in the rear, and fifteen thousand more were to leave at once for the same destination. It was doubtless a knowledge of this movement which induced the rebels menacing Cincinnati to make their hasty retreat. Eight thousand men from Gen. ROSECRANS' army had reinforced Gen. BUELL at Nashville; the fate of which place is probably one this decided.

According to a correspondent of the Chicago *Times*, the affair at Britton's Lane, Tenn., instead of being a skirmish merely, was quite a brilliant little battle. Five hundred of the Twentieth and Thirtieth Illinois Regiments are reported as having defeated five thousand rebels, with a loss on the rebel side of one hundred and seventy-nine killed and between three and four hundred *wounded; of the Nationals only four were killed* and eighty-two wounded. This immense disproportion in losses leads us rather to imagine that the story is somewhat exaggerated, and that this instance furnishes no exception to the general rule applicable to the war correspondents of Western papers.

The Cairo correspondent of the Chicago *Times* gives the following summary of the doings of the National expedition which left Fort Donelson several days since, to operate against Clarksville, Tenn.: "It reached that place on Monday. The rebels were found quite strongly posted, but, after a short engagement, they were driven off. The rebels left some stores, arms, and horses, which our forces captured. We destroyed one hundred boxes of hard bread, and captured a number of prisoners. The rebels burned two hundred boxes of crackers and one thousand bales of hay before abandoning the place. Cols. LOWE and RANSOM, with their forces, returned to Fort Donelson Monday night."

Gen. BANKS has issued an order rescinding the one recently issued, which authorized the crossing of the bridges and ferries over the Potomac without passes. They will be required, as heretofore, and will only be issued in cases of extreme necessity.

GENERAL NEWS.

Rev. Dr. FRENCH, of the Port Royal Freedmen's Relief Association, lectured last evening to an immense audience, in the Church of the Puritans. His theme was the condition and prospects of the negroes lately received into freedom on the Southern coast. This was very strikingly and effectively illustrated, the deductions being in every respect most favorable to Gen. HUNTER'S experiment. ROBERT SMALLS, the "hero of the *Planter*," was introduced, with several other noted colored refugees, and the impression made by all was very agreeable.

Rev. THEO. L. CUYLER, of Brooklyn, delivered, last night, at Plymouth Church, (Rev. H. W. BEECHER'S,) an address on the results of his observations in Europe—referring more particularly to the views entertained of our struggle by the different classes, the reasons for them, they grounds of criticisms they make, and their attitude generally. An immense audience listened with pleasure and delight to his remarks, which were instructive, entertaining and eloquent to a marked degree.

Those towns in Connecticut which had not filled up their quota by volunteers were compelled to furnish the requisite number by draft, on Wednesday. Waterbury, having sent nearly 100 over her quota, escaped the draft; so also did most of the towns in that vicinity—Naugatuck, Watertown, Plymouth, Prospect, Woodbury, Bristol, &c. About half the towns in the State were equally fortunate, having raised their full quota of volunteers—among them, Bridgeport, Norwich, New-Haven, Meriden, Wallingford, Madison, Branford, New-Hartford, Norfolk and New-Britain. In Hartford 415 were drafted; in Middletown, 96; in Cheshire, 53; in Hamden, 68; in Morris, 56; in Bethany, 17; in Bethlem, 16. In Middlebury 12 names were drawn out.

The Sixth Massachusetts Regiment had a very different reception in Baltimore, on Thursday last, from that which it met on the memorable 19th of April. The citizens in great numbers assembled at the railroad dépôt, waiting until sunset and after dark for the arrival of the regiment. In place of cobble-stones, the Massachusetts boys were greeted with cheers, and citizen seemed to have vied with citizen as to who should do them most honor. The guns that overlook Baltimore from Fort McHenry and Federal Hill tend admirably to the preservation of order in that city and the suppression of Secessionist sentiment, however it may lurk beneath a quiet exterior.

Gen. McDOWELL arrived in Troy on Thursday evening, and immediately repaired to the residence of his father-in-law, HENRY BURDEN, Esq., in the Sixth Ward.

The funeral of Gen. BOHLEN occurred in Philadelphia on Friday. The remains were met at the depot by a number of citizens and taken to Independence Hall, where they lay in state throughout the day. The military and citizens turned out in an imposing procession to do honor to the deceased patriot.

The health of Brig.-Gen. BUTTERFIELD has been so much impaired by his late active services as to demand a temporary retirement from duty in the field. He left Alexandria Thursday evening for the North.

Colonel GEO. W. PRATT, of the Ulster regiment, who was paralyzed by the concussion of a cannon ball, in leading his regiment at the battle of Manassas Plains, died on Thursday at the residence of his mother-in-law, Mrs. TIBBITS, in Albany. He was a young man of great promise, and had served as State Senator with ability and integrity.

There was a strong market for Stocks on Saturday, especially for the New-York and Western Road Shares. Gold fell off to 118¼. Exchange on London, 150½.

Flour and Corn were in good request on Saturday, at full prices. Wheat was more freely offered and was less sought after, at rather lower rates. Pork and Beef were quiet, as were also Hops, Hemp, Hides, Cotton, Groceries, Foreign Liquors, Seeds, Spices and Wholesome. A fair business was transacted in Hay, Tallow, Whisky, Lard, Butter and Cheese, at uniform quotations. Rosin and Wool were active and firm. Moderate freight engagements were reported. There were 471 vessels of all classes in port.

GARIBALDI AND THE ITALIAN GOVERNMENT.—We do not suppose that the imprisonment of GARIBALDI is intended to be other than temporary. Being taken in the act of rebellion, he had to be disposed of in some way for the time being. But his speedy liberation may be taken for granted. RATAZZI cannot bring clean hands to the task of punishing the man whom he invited into the field of dangerous enterprise. And even if he could, it is not to be supposed that the Italian people would permit harsh measures to be used toward a man whom they adore as they do GARIBALDI.

Yet his unconditional liberation is hardly possible either. What, then, is to be done with him? One item in the latest European intelligence reports that the Government contemplates sending him to the United States. He would of course find a ready welcome here, where he has already spent a period after the failure of a former enterprise. We hardly suppose, however, that our Government would renew the offer of a high command in our army, which they extended to him some time ago.

He declared, at the time, that he regarded our war as a "mere family quarrel"—not one in which humanity or a champion of humanity could take an interest. Passing over that, however, GARIBALDI would undoubtedly be received with a sympathy that would forget his late mistake in the memory of his recent glorious career.

The President and the Country.

The *Commercial Advertiser* is a well-meaning journal, but it is sometimes betrayed, by its extreme simplicity of character, into doing things that are very unjust and very unwise. It says that the Times is "*threatening* the Administration with forcible overthrow." Nothing could be further from the truth than this; and the *Commercial* never would have brought such a charge against us, if it had not failed for the moment to distinguish between a *threat* and a *warning*. We *have* warned the Government that it stands in extreme peril of being forcibly overthrown by rebel machinations, aided by allies in the Northern States;—and in this the *Commercial* agrees with us. It repeats our warning, almost in our own words. "Reluctantly," it says, "we are forced to the conviction that *there are those at the North who care more for the overthrow of the Government*, meaning thereby the present Administration, *than for the defeat of the rebels and the forcible crushing of the rebellion*." "Many facts," it adds, "point to the existence of such a plot in our midst. There is *far more danger to us in it* than there is in a conflict with half a million of men whose object is honestly and exclusively the setting up and perpetuating of a really independent nationality." This is the *Commercial's* language, and it echoes our own. If to expose and denounce the plot is "threatening" the Government, the *Commercial* shares the guilt which it imputes to us.

We have warned the Government against this peril, in the hope of doing something to avert it. We have every motive which can *possibly influence* any patriotic heart, for desiring the permanent prosperity of the Government and of the Administration to which, in this dread crisis of its fate, its destinies are intrusted. We have too profound a respect for President LINCOLN—we share too largely in the trust and confidence inspired by his integrity, and we feel too deeply the infinite importance of his understanding truly the real thought and sentiment of the millions of the American people whose fate depends upon his action, to conceal for a moment the expression of that sentiment, and still less to mislead the Government as to its character or its strength. We know no way in which we can render the President a greater service than by telling him the truth. We can have no motive for it but his own good and the country's, and we certainly look for no reward but the consciousness of having done something for both. We did what little we could to bring this Administration into power;—we have labored, perhaps not always wisely, but always conscientiously and disinterestedly, to sustain and defend it; and we claim the right now, in the most critical exigency through which any Government has ever been called to pass, to render it the only remaining service which lies in our power. We would warn it against dangers which threaten its existence, whether those dangers are wholly external, or whether they have powerful allies and agents in the weaknesses and defects of the Administration itself. And if such service, prompted by the most friendly motives, rendered in the most friendly spirit, and aiming at none but the most friendly ends, subjects us to the charge of hostility to the Administration from any but those who rejoice in whatever tends to its destruction, we can only regret that it has already become too weak to bear the only treatment that affords the slightest hope of its salvation.

We call upon President LINCOLN to *strengthen his Administration*,—to give it greater vigor, greater unity and concentration of counsels and of purpose, and a larger and more comprehensive mastery of all the elements which enter into the awful contest through which it is required to conduct the nation. For President LINCOLN himself the nation has a profound and a sincere regard. They have a full and unfaltering trust in his integrity—in his patriotic disinterestedness,—in his wish and purpose to do everything that lies in his power to crush the rebellion and save the Union. But they see that out of this very single-hearted determination to do right, has sprung the evil which saps the strength of his Administration. His very conscientiousness leads him to assume, as a personal matter, the whole responsibility of the Government. He takes it all upon his own shoulders. Instead of surrounding himself with the strongest and best men of the nation as Cabinet Councillors, and establishing the Government upon their combined strength and steadiness, clothing them with high functions and holding them to a corresponding responsibility, Mr. LINCOLN has felt himself to be the Government, and has undertaken, as a personal task, the performance of all its functions. His Cabinet Secretaries have been mere clerks, charged with the supervision of the details in their respective departments, though even in these liable to his intervention, and bringing nothing of positive strength and vigor to the Administration.

In this Mr. LINCOLN has departed from the practice of all his predecessors, and from the usage of all stable and responsible governments. Without the slightest thought of disparaging his abilities, Mr. LINCOLN must permit us to say that he is not adequate to so mighty a task. He cannot possibly, by his own personal ability, carry this country through this crisis. He will fail—fatally, lamentably, disastrously—if he persists in the attempt. No monarch living is equal to such a responsibility, and if President LINCOLN appreciated the awful issues which it involves, and had become, by the studies and thoughts and experiences of a lifetime, more familiar with the varied requirements of such a position, he would be the last man in the world to seek its isolation and its retribution. Whatever of statesmanship, of courage, of inspiring and arousing genius, of directing and administrative talent the land affords, should be at the service of the Government, and enlisted in its support. There should be no *second rate* man in the President's Cabinet councils—no man who did not bring something of positive and available power into the Executive Department,—no man whose participation in the Government did not add to it something of strength, of dignity, of high-hearted courage or of executive and organizing ability. With such an Executive Department, the task of government might not be easy, but it would at least be dignified and safe. We should at least escape the perils of indecision, of vacillation, and of hesitation, which are inseparable from a Government where the judgments, the caprices, the misgivings and the fears of a single individual are the ruling power. We might have mistakes, but we should not have the mistakes of to-day repeated and magnified by those of to-morrow. We should not have a policy discarded this week to be adopted the next. We should not have a General arrested to-day to be released to-morrow—nor dismissed one day to be raised still higher upon his own demand the next. We should at least *have steadiness—the systematic prosecution* of a fixed and settled policy, not the mere trial of successive experiments, in which the sacrifice of thousands of lives and the loss of millions of treasure pay the penalty of constantly recurring failures. We could not have greater integrity of purpose—a purer or more unadulterated patriotism in the conduct of the Government than we have now; but we should have a steadier and more settled policy,—a firmer grasp, a stronger will, a broader and more comprehensive statesmanship, than now presides over the wavering and inconstant action of the Executive Department.

It is not a *change of policy* which seems to us essential at the present moment. The reforms we urge are not in the interest of *any faction or of any party*. We should entertain the most profound distrust of any changes made in any such interest, or for the promotion of any such purpose. President LINCOLN'S policy of *saving the Union at all hazards*, as the great necessity which overshadows and subordinates all other questions and all other interests, and of *using all others for the accomplishment of that*, is broad enough, and sound enough, and powerful enough, for the emergency. But he needs a new organization of his Government in order to give it full effect. He needs a new Cabinet, composed of men who sympathize thoroughly and heartily in this leading and dominant idea,—and who can bring to bear upon the practical measures essential to its success, the best energies and abilities of the country, working freely and under all the responsibilities of such a position. If he can give the country such a Cabinet, organized on such a basis and composed of such material, he will renew its confidence in the Government and avert the perils which threaten its destruction.

The State Canvass.

The political campaign may be considered fairly open. One political party (perhaps not to be unjust we ought to say *one and a-half*,) has its candidates in the field, and is preparing for a strenuous effort to take the State Government from Republican hands. They hope to make capital for themselves out of the disasters which have befallen us. They expect to get many votes for Mr. SEYMOUR from those who have hitherto sustained the Administration, but who, as they think, will be sufficiently dissatisfied with it to vote against its friends. They may get some such votes, but their candidate's strength will be in another direction, and among other classes of voters. We can specify some votes that he is quite sure of:

He is sure to get the votes of every man who, like NOXON, the Chairman of the so-called Constitutional Union Convention, has "never attended a war meeting."

He is sure of the votes of every man who, like Capt. RYNDERS, "if he fought at all in this war, would fight on the side of the South."

If there is a man known to any of our readers who has refused to take the oath of allegiance, ten to one he will vote for SEYMOUR.

The man who looked at a regiment of our brave fellows marching to defend their country's flag, and said, "There goes another pack of fools to be shot," is sure to vote for SEYMOUR.

The men who drank champagne so freely, on hearing the news of the battles of Bull Run, will all vote for SEYMOUR.

The men who are "aiders and abettors of the modification of the rebel programme," as we exposed it the other day, will vote for SEYMOUR, and so will those who aided and abetted the unmodified rebel programme.

In short, do our readers know anywhere in the State a man who has felt no throb of the flood of patriotism which has filled every true man's heart for the past year and a half, who has refused to lend any aid whatever toward the heavy burdens which have pressed upon the commonwealth, whose heart has been sad when the heart of the nation has swelled with gladness, and has been filled with malignant joy when the national heart was depressed and sad, who has rejoiced over the wounds and death and captivity of our noblest sons, and has, as far as he dared, struck hands with their murderers—a hundred to one that that man votes and does all in his power for SEYMOUR.

There may be those who will vote for SEYMOUR without any such sympathies. All we can say of them is that they will find themselves in very poor company.

A gentleman who was in Frederick City when it was occupied by the rebels, said that when he was leaving he fell in, with some young men from one of the neighboring counties who had come to Frederick to join the rebel army, "but after *seeing and smelling it*, they had concluded to return home."

We advise any thoughtless persons who have had thoughts of joining the crowd that is going for SEYMOUR, to "*see it and smell it*" first. They will find it too rank with treason and secession to be pleasant company for a true lover of his country.

The Rebel Retreat from Maryland.

The rebel invasion of Maryland has evidently proved a failure; and the proof is now ample that the army which ten days ago crossed the Potomac near its junction with the Monocacy, has already recrossed or is now recrossing the same river some fifty miles higher up. If the object of the invasion was to arouse Maryland to revolution—and the proclamation of the rebel Commander-in-Chief to the people of the State seems to indicate this as a main object—then it was a signal and total failure; for there has been not a sign or symptom that it was possible to stir up the embers of rebellion in Maryland; while the loyal element has been greatly strengthened in its loyalty as well as increased in its magnitude. If the design of the movement was an assault on the National Capital, that, also, has proved abortive; for, not only have we now a defensive force behind the circuit of forts around Washington sufficient to repel the rebel army, but one-half of our army has marched out to meet the rebels on their own ground, has driven them from their most important positions, has taken possession of Frederick, which they had established as their base of operations, and has compelled them to flee by every available route toward the Potomac. If the purpose was to march upon Baltimore, they have been foiled in that; for we have driven them from all the points they seized on the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, between the Potomac and the Relay House, and now hold this line strongly and securely. If the rebel aim was an invasion of Pennsylvania, a march to the Susquehanna, and the capture of Harrisburgh, it is evident that they have now no hope of success in that scheme; for all Pennsylvania has flown to arms, and there is already an improvised army on the southern line of the State, sufficiently powerful to make any attempt at invasion fatal. The telegrams of this morning from Frederick state that the movements of the rebel army indicate that there is no fear whatever of the invasion of Pennsylvania; while even from Harrisburgh, where the excitement has been so wild, we have a dispatch to the effect that the rebel pickets have retired from the State line. Whatever may have been the primary or ultimate object of the rebel movement across the Potomac, there is no doubt that the whole thing is an utter failure; and while the fact that they have been permitted even for a brief time to occupy loyal soil and ravage a loyal population, is disgraceful to our military authorities and a disaster to our cause, there is nothing but this for them to glorify themselves with.

Collating all the dispatches and statements that come to us from various quarters, it would seem that, after retiring from Frederick about the middle of last week, the rebel invaders pushed north in the direction of Boonsboro and Hagerstown, but without delaying at these points for any length of time—as Gen. McCLELLAN was close on their heels—they made by various routes for the Potomac, which part of their army, at least, seems to have forded, notwithstanding the heavy rains of Thursday and Friday; and in moving down on the Virginia side, the advance columns seem to have got into a battle on Saturday, which was renewed yesterday morning. It appears, however, that a large part of the rebel force has not yet crossed over the Potomac, but is still on this side; for the numerous skirmishes which various bodies of Gen. McCLELLAN'S army have had during the last three days, are always mentioned as being with the rearguard of a large force just in advance. Gen. McCLELLAN seems to be pushing on quite vigorously; and the dispatch dated yesterday morning from Frederick states that "our main column would come up with the enemy during the afternoon," when an important engagement would necessarily ensue.

It is earnestly to be hoped that our main column did come up with the enemy yesterday, before his army effected its escape. It is to be hoped that their ragged hordes, after menacing the Capital and threatening our Free States, has not been allowed to achieve a "masterly retreat" into Virginia, while Gen. McCLELLAN was pressing on their flank and rear, while Pennsylvania's brave militia was pressing on their other flank, while we had strong bodies of troops in their front at Martinsburgh and Harper's Ferry, and while they had to struggle across a difficult river.

There is no doubt about the superiority of our army in numbers, armament and condition. There is no doubt of its capacity, if skillfully and boldly handled, to destroy or cut off the enemy they have set out in pursuit of. If this be effected, the invasion of Maryland will have proved an irretrievable disaster to the rebel army. We hope that to-day we shall have the news that Gen. McCLELLAN has achieved this glorious triumph.

THE REBEL OPINION OF UNION GENERALS.—What is mortifying in the rebel invasion of Maryland is not so much the military movement itself as the standard it shows the leading men of the rebellion to have had of our Generals. If they did not have an almost boundless faith in the stupidity, slowness and imbecility of our military leaders, they never safely would have ventured to place themselves in a situation which, in the Napoleonic style of war, must result in their utter annihilation. It is profitless to inquire how far their past experience justifies this contemptuous criterion; enough that they have formed it, and that *they act* upon it. They have perfect confidence that our splendid scientific strategy will expend itself in moves which *should* have been successful, but were not; and, though all lines of retreat be cut off, confidently rely on being able, if need be, to whisk themselves off, leg, baggage and booty, through some loop-hole, by which they should never have gone, if they had had a decent respect for the opinions of strategic masters. It remains to be seen whether the event will bear them out in the opinion they have formed of our Generals, or whether they will be taught in Maryland a new lesson. It is a lesson which, in all fairness, we cannot refuse to accept.

Light in the West!

The rebel campaign in the West is beginning to show signs of unmeaning. After a very vigorous push of considerable armies through Kentucky, almost to the bank of the Ohio River—accompanied with the usual threats of invading the North—the enemy's columns are seen to waver, and now they are reported falling back precipitately and in some confusion.

The reasons for this retreat are obvious and imperative. The rebel forces are forced to move by land, and the roads they traveled in entering Kentucky are difficult, leading *through a stony and precipitous range of* country. Transportation was necessarily imperfect. They had no dépôts of supplies; and no means to draw from them, if they had been abundantly supplied at their base of movement in East Tennessee. In foraging in the country as traversed, the march was necessarily slow, and the enforced delay thereby occasioned has given the Government and the States north of the Ohio ample time to protect the great cities in which alone the rebels could have found provisions to maintain themselves in position and in force.

The National Government has been enabled to circumvent the rebel designs in Kentucky, by its possession of *railway and water carriage*. It has used these agencies to concentrate powerful means of defence in advance of the rebel preparedness to attack. The rebels have no stronghold, no base, no dépôts of subsistence. They have no ability to go further forward—no supports and supplies to enable them to stand still—and they do the only other thing possible in such circumstances—*they retreat*.

But will they be able to retreat with safety? It is doubtful. In leaving the friendly secession districts of Tennessee, and throwing themselves forward through Kentucky up to the line of the Free States, the enemy knew full well he was leaving well-organized and powerful Union armies in his rear. His only compensation for so daring a disregard of military principle, was the prospect of successful invasion and occupation of strongholds in the loyal States, where his army could be quartered and protected. But failing in his aim, he must needs trust to genius and the luck of war to save him from annihilation.

It remains to be seen whether rebel audacity has not at last overtasked rebel resources and good fortune. The Union armies left by KIRBY SMITH, BRAGG and MARCHALL in their rear, are in full chase after them, with means of rapid march that the rebels have not. The banks of the Ohio bristle with bayonets to stop their advance northward. They turn, therefore, and seem at this writing to stand at bay in Central Kentucky. If they shall be overtaken there by the veteran corps of BUELL, ROUSSEAU and CRITTENDEN, they will have marched their last march, and fought their last fight, for the "dark and bloody ground" of Kentucky will assuredly be the future bed of her luckless invaders.

The sudden and salutary change in the look of military affairs in the West will be surprising to those who lately desponded so much. But the explanation is obvious and reassuring. The victories of last Spring, which gave us the complete control of the Ohio, Mississippi, Cumberland and Tennessee Rivers, and the railroads leading from the Ohio river down to the chief towns of the State of Tennessee, secured us vast military advantages, which will be appreciated more and more in every future movement of the war. These means of intercommunication enable the National forces to move easily, to concentrate rapidly, to transport food and munitions of war with a celerity defying the calculations of an enemy compelled to march on foot and seek his living by the way. It is the use of these advantages, won by Union valor, at Donelson, Island Ten and Shiloh, that is now crushing the rebel invasion in Kentucky, the failure of which, we hope, will render the latter end of treason in the West weaker and more disappointing than the first. The West, that led the way so gallantly before, in thrusting the rebellion back to its dark source in the Cotton States, will, we venture to predict, repeat its work with improved spirit and effect. Let the rest of the nation be prepared to emulate its energetic action.

UNION TACTICS IN NORTH CAROLINA.—It was part of the scheme of the rebel leaders, in setting their whole line in motion, to attack our force in North Carolina also. Relying on the fact that the always victorious BURNSIDE had been withdrawn, with the greater part of his army, to the Potomac, they doubtless expected to fall foul of, and chase up the little force remaining. In this nice plan they have been most signally disappointed, and if all the joints of the snowballs had been as stout as that in North Carolina, the rebels would by this time have been pretty effectually used up.

Two battles have been fought on the coast of North Carolina within the past fortnight, and in both the enemy has been soundly whipped. That at the town of Washington was, though on a small scale, one of the most desperate encounters of the campaign. It lasted four hours, cavalry, artillery and infantry were used on both sides, and though the rebels greatly outnumbered our force in all

The Custody of Prize Money.

We alluded a day or two since to a matter [illegible] the prize law, arising in the case of the [illegible]. We have a word or two to say on [illegible] connected with the same [illegible].

[illegible] to which we then re[illegible] the Marshal to pay the pro[illegible] of prize property into the [illegible] of the United States "immediately after the day of sale, less the costs and disbursements sworn to by the Marshal and taxed by the Judge." It is a little difficult to see how, on an interlocutory sale, the costs and disbursements can be sworn to or taxed, as in all such cases there are costs incurred after the sale. It may, however, be construed to mean the costs and disbursements of the sale only.

It may be, also, that the statute was passed later in the day than the resolution, and thus superseded it, and restores the law to its former position. An examination of the records of the proceedings of that last day of the session would show, and such examination, if it has not been made, should be at once, and the matter should receive some judicial decision.

But both the act and the resolution agree in requiring the money to be paid into the Treasury instead of the Registry of the Court. What was the reason for this change of system we cannot tell. The public interest would seem to have been better consulted by leaving the funds where they were, under the old system, by which nothing had ever been lost, instead of exposing it to new dangers. It may be that the matter of payment will be held to be still under the control of the Court, and the Treasury to be merely the depository of the funds, and it may be hereafter that the result of it will be to remove it entirely from the control of the Court. Such a result we should consider unfortunate, and it ought to be known at once whether such is the effect of the new legislation. Even now we understand that a large portion, if not the whole of the proceeds of the sale of the *Hiawatha's* cargo, which took place some two months ago, has not, as yet, been paid into the Treasury, notwithstanding the direction that it be paid in "forthwith." We may be misinformed on this point, however. If this is so, it shows imperatively the necessity of there being some control over the matter somewhere.

Our readers will also find in another column that there was very nearly a heavy loss of prize money in consequence of this change of [illegible] Deposit. To be sure, it might have happened in the Registry of the Court, if known graduates from Botany Bay were put in posts of confidence in and about the Court. But, as it is, it forms a striking commentary upon the effects of the new legislation, or the way they do things in the Marshal's office.

GOVERNOR'S "AUTOCRACY" VERSUS CONGRESSMAN SOHIE.—The rebel military leaders are evidently hard pushed to reconcile their invasion of Maryland with the political theory on which they profess to be waging war. They set forth as their fundamental principle the absolute "autonomy" of the States, and yet at every step they are forced to violate that principle in some of its most essential features. They undoubtedly entered Maryland with the desire to be particularly "sweet" on that State, and to treat her population in the most delicate and affectionate style. "No restraint upon your free will," declared Gen. LEE, in his Proclamation, "is intended; no intimidation will be allowed within the limits of this army at least. Marylanders shall once more enjoy their ancient freedom," etc., etc.

These are very fine words, no doubt; but practically, what kind of pasnipe do they butter? The rebel army is bound to subsist and is bound to get all of food, clothing and supplies it can; meanwhile, *it pays in Confederate scrip!* The storekeepers of Frederick and the farmers of the Southern counties would probably have been willing to put up with a little "restraint on their free will" rather than see their goods and possessions go for a currency as worthless as though it were issued by the three Kings of Cologne. By the time the army of hungry rebel locusts leaves the four of the State, the people of Maryland will probably have had enough Confederate "autonomy" to do them the rest of their natural lives.

A GRATUITOUS AND UNACCOUNTABLE DELAY.—On the third day of this month, a messenger from Gov. GRIMES apprised the authorities at Washington that the quota of New-Jersey under the draft, amounting to 10,478 men, was at their several rendezvous in the State, awaiting the commands of the Government. The public will learn with amazement that, notwithstanding this fact, the War Department has not taken the first step toward getting these troops in the field! Twelve days, the most momentous in the history of the Republic, have passed, and these ten thousand are still allowed to remain idle in camp—unarmed, unequipped, unused.

Such a delay is unaccountable. Maryland and other Pennsylvania have been invaded—[illegible] dry goes up throughout the land for soldiers, and yet here is a force of ten thousand men—an army equal to that which XERXES led up against the Persian Empire—kept back from the field, where they might, perchance, turn the scale of victory in our favor. "There are there" (in the Cumberland Valley,) writes a veteran soldier, now in the field, "*passes that may be defended by* 10,000 *against* 100,000." Why has not some such Thermopylæ been given these brave ten thousand to guard?

It is the old story again—the people far ahead of the Government. Does not Mr. LINCOLN know that it is such fatalities which, more than any stupidness of the enemy, take the courage and confidence out of the hearts of the people? What stimulus is there for new men to volunteer, when those that have already volunteered are not used? No doubt some plausible excuse from the always-ready budget will be produced to account for this conduct. But, if it be true that the Department has not arms to put into the hands of these men? We do not think Mr. STANTON would like to encounter that storm of wrath after the demonstration of a different kind he has already given. But whatever it may be, there is something far, inexpressibly distressing and discouraging that at the very moment when, above all others, soldiers are wanted, ten thousand troops are kept back from the field by some fatal spell of red tape at Washington.

NEWS FROM WASHINGTON.

OUR SPECIAL WASHINGTON DISPATCHES.

WASHINGTON, Sunday, Sept. 14.

PETITION FROM CHICAGO FOR EMANCIPATION.

A delegation from Chicago, headed by Rev. Dr. PATTON, called yesterday upon the President with a petition signed by very many prominent citizens of Chicago, urging the necessity of his issuing a decree of emancipation on military grounds. The President received the petition very kindly, stating that the subject was one that lay very near his heart, and which for a long time had engaged his earnest attention; but he expressed the belief that the time had not yet arrived for the adoption of such a measure.

TROOPS AT RICHMOND.

A paroled officer from Richmond says that there are scarcely any troops at that place—all having left for the Upper Potomac. Some of the wounded in the late battle at Manassas had arrived at Richmond. The rebels confess to very heavy loss. Treasury notes command one hundred per cent. premium, and gold one hundred and twenty-five per cent. The rebels are fearful that their army, by their bold movement into Maryland, will be intercepted and cut off from retreat.

SMALL NOTES IN THE DISTRICT.

The Government has not, as is generally supposed, issued an order interfering with the issue of small notes by the regular banks of this District. It is understood that no such order is now contemplated.

MILITARY AGENT FOR INDIANA.

W. J. DENNIS, of Indiana, has been appointed by Gov. MORTON, Agent for that State, to look after its military interests here in general.

THURLOW WEED.

THURLOW WEED is here.

PRISONERS OF WAR AND STATE.

Fifty-three prisoners of war, captured at Bull Run, were brought here to-day from Alexandria and sent to the Old Capitol Prison. There were also seven prisoners of State. One of the prisoners tried to drown himself by jumping off the boat at Alexandria, but he was rescued by the guard. Upon his gaining dry land he began to beat his head upon stones, injuring himself severely. He declares that he would commit suicide sooner than undergo imprisonment. The prisoners were well dressed, and looked clean and tidy. They were furnished with shoes and clothing by the secession ladies of Alexandria. They appeared to have plenty of money, which was doubtless obtained from the same quarter.

CONVALESCENTS.

Four hundred convalescents were transferred today from the hospitals in this city to Annapolis, Md.

AMUSEMENTS.

The regular Fall and Winter theatrical season may be said to be fairly commenced with the present week, when Mr. WALLACK and Miss KEENE open their respective houses, and announce the engagement of stock companies that can satisfactorily represent the very highest class of drama. Mr. WALLACK makes few changes in the personal composition of his forces. He loses Mr. BLAKE, but secures in that great comedian's place an actor of acknowledged talent and popularity, Mr. ROSE. Mr. Mark Smith, Mr. C. Fisher, Mr. George Holland, Miss Gannon, Mrs. Vernon, Miss Fanny Morant, Miss Madeline Henriques, and, of course, Mr. Lester Wallack, again rally around him on the stage, and the front of the house is still under the superintendence of Mr. MEAD. Miss KEENE is the gainer by Mr. WALLACK's loss of Mr. BLAKE. In other respects she has materially strengthened her company, and will be able to give the best of standard comedy with excellent effect. If she can only find some one capable of playing the heroes of this kind of piece.

GABRIEL RAVEL, and the wonderful band of pantomimists, who take their inspiration from him, closed their series of performances at NIBLO's on Saturday evening, in a most triumphant manner. They have caused that beautiful theatre to be crowded every night for a month, and could have continued a career of unprecedented success as much longer as they pleased, but they were promised elsewhere, and the manager of Niblo's had made arrangements with Mr. FORREST. That eminent tragedian, adequately supported, makes his first appearance to-night, in "Hamlet." To-morrow Mr. HACKETT appears as *Falstaff*, in "The First Part of Henry the Fourth."

Miss RAVENAH, admirably supported by Mr. J. W. WALLACK, Jr., Mr. EDWIN ADAMS, and Mr. RAVENAH, has done well all through the week, in her mother's effective tragedy of "Geraldine." To-night she attempts the difficult part of *Lady Macbeth*, and will be sure to attract a crowded and brilliant audience.

The most interesting performance announced for this evening, though, is that of SIGNORINA CESARI, in the "French Spy," at NIBLO'S Cremorne Gardens. The magnificent Spanish dancer, who ventures the experiment on the occasion of her benefit, will also dazzle her beholders in "El Olo," and will provide an unusually liberal programme of accessory ballet, music and equestrianism. CARLOTTA PATTI sings there for the last time in concert, previous to her debut next Monday at the Academy of Music.

The dramatic season has commenced auspiciously at BARNUM's Museum. The new drama of "Claude Marcel" has been received with immense favor, and is advertised for indefinite repetition.

Mr. THEODORE THOMAS gives a grand Concert at Irving Hall on Thursday, at which he will be assisted by Madame D'ANGRI, Mr. WM. MASON, Signor ARDITI, Mr. A. P. TOURJEE, the Teutonic Choral Society, under the direction of Mr. J. MOSENTHAL, and an orchestra of sixty instrumentalists. Irving Hall has just been refitted, and decorated in the most superb manner, and is now the handsomest place of its kind in the United States, or, perhaps, in the world.

A season of German opera will be inaugurated at WALLACK's old theatre this evening. Madame JOHANNSEN, Madame ROVERE, Madame VON BERRER, and Messrs. QUINN, LOTTI, WEINLICH, GRATZ, RUDORFFER and HARTMANN, have been engaged, and some of the finest works of WEBER, MOZART, BEETHOVEN and FLOTOW, are in preparation.

GEORGE CHRISTY is delighting crowds nightly at No. 585 Broadway, in Ethiopian farces and miscellaneous fun and music. He has the best company in the City, and is himself unquestionable as an exponent of negro eccentricity.

A BUREAU OF ARMY INFORMATION.—The Secretary of War sends the following reply to a proposal of Mr. BROWN, of Philadelphia, concerning the establishment in the army of a Bureau of Information:

WAR DEPARTMENT,
WASHINGTON, Sept. 5.

MY DEAR SIR: I acknowledge a slip copy of your note, addressed to me in relation to a field bureau. The suggestion is new to me, and I have referred your letter to the General-in-Chief. The evils it aims to cure are very great, and I have supposed to be without any adequate remedy. If your plan be practicable, the government and humanity will be greatly indebted to you, for one of the most painful duties of my office is to answer the anxious inquiries of relatives and friends as to the fate of those who were engaged in battle, and concerning whom I am unable to give any information.

Yours truly, with much regard,
EDWIN M. STANTON.

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DIED

ADAMS.—Suddenly, on Friday, Sept. 12, at Katonah, Westchester County, Capt. JAMES ADAMS, of New-York, aged 62 years.

The friends are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of his brother-in-law, Dr. M. W. Palmer, No. 64 Bleecker-st., this day, (Monday,) Sept. 15, at 2 P. M., without further invitation.

☞ Baltimore and Philadelphia papers please copy.

BAKER.—In Brooklyn, on Sunday, Sept. 14, of inflammation of the lungs, WILLIAM H., only son of Thomas C. and Mellissa Baker, aged 1 year, 1 month and 21 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, this (Monday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the residence of his parents, No. 120 Fulton-st.

DUDLEY.—At Englewood, Perth Amboy, N. J., on Friday, of cholera infantum, JOHN C., infant son of George S., and Charlotte M. Dudley, aged 1 year, 1 month.

EDWARDS.—In Norwich, Conn., on Thursday, Sept. 11, ELIZA ANN, wife of Lewis Edwards.

ELDRIDGE.—From wounds received in battle on Saturday, Aug. 30, near Bull Run, EDWARD CLARENCE ELDRIDGE, Company B, Fifth Regiment, N. Y. V., aged 21 years.

His remains were interred near Centreville, Va.

FRENCH.—In Alexandria, Va., on Tuesday, Sept. 9, of wounds received in the battle of Bull Run, on Saturday, Aug. 30, EDWARD R. FRENCH, Tenth Regiment New-York Volunteers, son of the late Mr. THOMAS FRENCH, Ballinasloe, Ireland, aged 19 years.

GALLAGHER.—In this City, on Sunday, Sept. 14, FERDINAND H. GALLAGHER, late Sergeant-at-Arms to the Board of Aldermen, aged 36 years and 3 months.

His friends will take place from his late residence, No. 2 Congress-st., on Wednesday, the 17th inst., at 9 o'clock A. M. His remains will be taken to St. Joseph's Church, where a Mass will be said for the repose of his soul. His remains will be taken from there to Calvary Cemetery for interment. His friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend.

None knew him but to love him,
None named him but to praise.

HEERMAN.—In Brooklyn, on Saturday, Sept. 13, FRANK MARSH HEERMAN, late of Company D, Thirteenth Regiment, N. Y. S. M., in the 23d year of his age.

The relatives and friends, and the members of the Thirteenth Regiment, are invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of Francis D. Mason, No. 336 Bridge-st., this day, (Monday,) the 15th, at 3 o'clock.

HOOKINGSON.—In Washington, D. C., on Wednesday, Sept. 10, of wounds received in the battle of Wednesday, Aug. 30, near Manassas, Sergeant WM. B. HOOKINGSON, Company E, Fifth Regiment, N. Y. V.

Through faith he triumphed over death, trusting in Jesus only.

His remains will be conveyed to New-Haven, where funeral services will be attended on Wednesday, Sept. 17, from the residence of his sister, No. 169 Chapel-st.

NOSTRAND.—At New-Utrecht, on Sunday morning, Sept. 14, Mrs. CATHARINE NOSTRAND, wife of Timothy Nostrand, and daughter of John R. Lott.

The funeral will take place this (Monday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the residence of her father. The friends and relatives of the family are invited to attend.

MACFARLANE.—In Williamsburgh, N. Y., on Saturday, Sept. 13, GILBERT T. MACFARLANE, youngest son of R. and A. Macfarlane.

The funeral will take place this day, (Monday,) at 1 P. M., from No. 125 Atlantic-st., Williamsburgh.

NEGRETTI.—Suddenly, on Sunday, Sept. 14, at Staten Island, CARLO NEGRETTI, native of Como, Italy, aged 28 years.

His friends, and those of his brother, C. Negretti, are respectfully invited to attend his funeral, without further notice, from his late residence, No. 1 Lawrence-st., on Tuesday morning, at 9 o'clock.

☞ All the members of the Italian Union and Brotherhood Society are invited to attend the funeral, which takes place from his late residence, No. 1 Lawrence-st., at 9 o'clock A. M. on Tuesday, the 16th inst.

By order of the President.

L. MORSINI, Secretary.

PELLARD.—On Sunday, Sept. 14, MARY GERRISH PELLARD, widow of the late Isaac Pollard, of Boston, in the 83d year of her age.

Notice of the funeral will be given in to-morrow's papers.

SMITH.—In this City, on Saturday evening, Sept. 13, at the residence of her mother, Mary Brownlee Smith, AMELIA SMITH, wife of Thomas Smith, aged 26 years.

The funeral will take place from No. 39 Divington-st., on Tuesday afternoon, at 3 o'clock. The friends and relatives of the family are respectfully invited to attend, without further notice.

TIFFT.—On Friday, Sept. 12, at Belleville, N. J., of dysentery, WILLIAM HAYWARD, youngest son of J. N. and M. E. Tifft, aged 16 months and 26 days.

The remains were interred in Greenwood Cemetery.

TOMLINSON.—In Newark, N. J., on Saturday morning, Sept. 13, ELIZA P., widow of the late Warren Tomlinson, of this City, aged 78 years.

Her friends are invited to attend her funeral, on Tuesday, the 16th inst., at 2½ o'clock, at the Mercer-st. Presbyterian Church. Her remains will be taken to Stratford, Conn., for interment.

WEBB.—Suddenly, in Canada, on Thursday, Sept. 11, HANNAH A., wife of Albert Webb, and daughter of Frederick H. and Sarah Silber, aged 23 years, 9 months and 4 days.

The relatives and friends of the family are respectfully invited to attend the funeral, from the residence of her parents, No. 61 West 22d-st., this (Monday) afternoon, at 3 o'clock, without further invitation. Her remains will be taken to the family vault in 16th-st. for interment.

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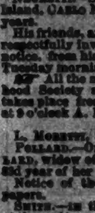

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ADDITIONAL TESTIMONIALS.

NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1862.
A young man in my employ has been under the medical care of Dr. Lighthill for deafness and bad discharge from the Ear, with which he was afflicted about infancy. The discharge has ceased for the past six months, and his hearing is materially improved.
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A DEAF MUTE RESTORED TO HEARING.

My son, now 13 years of age, has been deaf and dumb and a pupil of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum in this City. Dr. Lighthill has succeeded in restoring my boy's hearing to such a degree, that he is now able to learn to speak with facility.

The success which the Doctor has had in this case has naturally a gratified, and deserves to be extensively known by the public.

GABRIEL LOWENSTEIN, No. 176 Spring-st.
NEW-YORK, Aug. 18, 1862.

NEW-YORK HOTEL,
NEW-YORK, Aug. 20, 1862.
Dr. Lighthill has succeeded in restoring my hearing which was considerably impaired, and has also removed the noises in my head, which had incommoded me.
As I am a resident of New-Orleans, and a stranger in the City, intending to stay but a short time longer, I make reference to Messrs. Sturgus, Bennett & Co., No. 128 Front-st., and to Mr. J. H. Fisher, No. 20 Park-row, to whom I am well known and who are familiar with the circumstances of my case.
G. DE CASTRO.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., Aug. 19, 1862.
Henry Lewis, now staying with me, has been afflicted with deafness for some time. He applied to Dr. Lighthill, who, after a few weeks' treatment, completely restored him, so that now he hears well and is enabled to attend to business, which before he could not, without great inconvenience.
JOHN MURDOCK,
No. 197 Fulton-st., Brooklyn.

NEW-YORK, July 28, 1862.
I hereby certify that I have suffered during many years from trouble in hearing—one ear at last became entirely deaf, and the other so bad as to render conversation very difficult. I applied to Dr. Lighthill, of No. 34 St. Mark's-place, who, in a short time, and without pain, restored to me the use of my ears, so that I can now hear perfectly well.
J. BISCO, No. 102 East 22d-st.

NEW-YORK, June 20, 1862.
Dr. Lighthill:
DEAR SIR: I am pleased to be able to testify to the efficacy of your treatment in the case of my wife, whose hearing in one ear you succeeded in restoring, after treatment of various kinds had been applied in vain. I may furthermore state that her hearing remains good up to the present time, though it is several years since she has been under your care.
E. CLAYBURGH, No. 141 Duane-st.

NO. 740 WATER-ST., NEW-YORK, June 5, 1862.
Dr. Lighthill has succeeded in completely restoring my hearing, which was seriously impaired, although previous to applying to him I was treated by several physicians without the least benefit. Any further information I should be pleased to render, on application to me, at my residence, No. 173 Second-st., Brooklyn, E. D., or at my place of business, No. 740 Water-st.
WM. H. WATERBURY.

CATARRH CURED.

From Rev. P. R. Russell, Lynn, Mass.
I have been much troubled with Catarrh of the worst type for some twenty years. It gradually grew worse producing cough and hoarseness, destroying the sense of smell, and breaking down my general health to such a degree as to compel me to resign my pastorate and suspend public speaking.
I made diligent use of the usual remedies, such as smoke of divers kinds, nitrate of silver, tar-water, olivetar and inhalations, but without any very salutary effects. Last Summer I heard of Dr. Lighthill's successful mode of treating Catarrh, visited him, and put myself under his treatment. I began immediately to improve, and this improvement has gone on to the present time. My Catarrh has gradually melted away, my cough has disappeared, my voice has become natural, and I am once more able to preach the blessed Gospel. Let me advise all who are troubled with catarrhal difficulties to apply to Dr. Lighthill.
P. R. RUSSELL.

LYNN, Mass., Feb. 1, 1862.

No. 42 FIFTH-ST., NEW-YORK, June 26, 1862.
Dr. Lighthill:
DEAR SIR: I take pleasure in testifying to the remarkable skill and judgment you displayed in the case of my daughter, who had been partially deaf, accompanied by discharge from the ears, since early infancy, and is now, thanks to your treatment, able to hear as well as any one, while her ears are free from the discharge. Although it is nearly two years since she has been under your care, her hearing remains as good and her ears as sound as the day she left you.
O. S. HOLLY.

NEW-YORK, June 16, 1862.
Dr. Lighthill:
DEAR SIR: Permit me to thank you most sincerely for the invaluable services you have rendered me in restoring the hearing of my son, who had been deaf from infancy, and who had previously been under the care of the best medical talent without the slightest success.
Respectfully,
ANSELL HEGRY,
No. 126 6th-st.

No. 2 GATES-AV., Brooklyn, April 16, 1862.
Dr. E. B. Lighthill:
It gives me pleasure to inform you of the entire and effectual cure you have made in my little daughter's ears, who, after having tried the skill of several eminent physicians, has been entirely relieved through your treatment without which, it is probable, she would never have regained her sight.
Most respectfully, yours, A. H. PURDY.

POLITICAL.

ELEVENTH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—In compliance with the directions of the General Committee, an election will be held at No. 38 Avenue B, on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 16, 1862, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Twelfth and Thirteenth Assembly District Conventions, to be held on Saturday, the 20th inst., and one delegate to represent the Eleventh Assembly District in the State Convention, to be held at Syracuse, on the 24th inst. Polls open from 7½ to 9½ o'clock.
E. ELLIOT, President.
JAS. M. MCLAREN, DAVID H. MORGAN, } Secretaries.

FOURTEENTH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—Headquarters No. 425 Bowery.—A special meeting of the Association will be held on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 16, pursuant to the call of the Republican Central Committee for the election of Delegates to the Convention. (The polls will be open from 7½ to 9½ o'clock,) at the headquarters No. 425 Bowery-st.
ADOLPHUS NORDT, President.
JOHN BARRY, DUNLEY R. F. WILSON, } Secretaries.

FOURTEENTH WARD.—IN PURSUANCE OF the call of the Central Committee, a primary election will be held at the Headquarters of the Fourteenth Ward Republican Association, No. 425 Bowery-st., on Tuesday evening, Sept. 16, between the hours of 7½ and 9½ o'clock, P. M.
By Order, SIDNEY SMITH, President.
JOHN B. SHARP, JAMES HOGAN, } Secretaries.

SEVENTEENTH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—In pursuance of the call of the Republican Central Committee, an election will be held at Lincoln Hall, No. 128 East Houston-st., corner Allen, on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 16, for the purpose of electing delegates to the Sixth, Tenth and Twelfth District Conventions, who will meet in their respective Conventions and choose delegates and alternates to the Republican and Union State Convention, to be held at Syracuse Sept. 24, 1862.
Poll open from 7½ to 9½ o'clock.
HARVEY H. WOODS, President.
CHAS. E. GAYNE, Secretary.

EIGHTEENTH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION—FOURTEENTH ASSEMBLY DISTRICT.—In pursuance of the joint call of the Republican and Union Committees, in accordance with their recommendations, the above Association will meet at their rooms, No. 604 Broadway, corner of 224-st., on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 16th, 1862, to elect by ballot three delegates and three alternates to the State Convention, to be held at Syracuse on the 24th of September. The polls will open at 7½ and close at 9½ P. M.
TIMOTHY G. CHURCHILL, President.
G. JOHNSON ROSS, Secretary.

NINETEENTH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—In pursuance of the joint call of the Republican and Union Committees, the members of this Association, and all others whose names have been enrolled in accordance with said call, are requested to meet at Lyceum, corner 58th-st. and 6th-av., on TUESDAY EVENING, the 16th inst., at 7½ o'clock, to elect by ballot three delegates and three alternates to the State Convention, to be held at Syracuse, on the 24th inst.
W. H. DECAMP, President.
ALLAN COOPER, Secretary.

TWENTIETH WARD REPUBLICAN ASSOCIATION.—Pursuant to the call of the Central Committee this Association will meet at Lincoln Hall, corner of 8th-av. and 33d-st., on TUESDAY EVENING, Sept. 16, 1862, to elect by ballot three Delegates and three Alternates to represent the Eleventh Assembly District in the State Convention to be held at Syracuse. The polls open at 7½ o'clock P. M., and close at 9½ P. M.
E. HARRISON REED, President.
DAVID MCADAM, Secretary.

TWENTY-FIRST WARD REPUBLICAN AND UNION ASSOCIATION.—The election for three delegates and three alternates to the Convention to meet at Syracuse on the 24th inst., will be held at No. 436 4th-av., on TUESDAY EVENING, 16th inst. Polls open from 7½ to 9 o'clock P. M.
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Col. McDERMOTT, Commanding.
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RECRUITS WANTED IMMEDIATELY.
Patriotic young men of New-York, if you desire to enlist in the service of your country, in this her hour of need, come forward at once and join us.
You are now called upon to rally for her support. Do not wait to be drafted, but show to the world that you are competent to vote to sustain an expedient in order to crush this cruel rebellion.
To some, there is and join a company officered by men who have had experience in the field, and who are thoroughly qualified to look after the requirements of their men.
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Clothing of the best quality. Rations furnished to families.
Bond limits need not apply, as much more desirable recruits are wanted.
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Headquarters 5th Ward Hotel.
The Regiment is now complete, and the assignment of the Minute Men will be completed by Sept. Recruits.
To more desirous of serving their country, in this hour of need, superior inducements are offered. In addition to the ordinary bounty and extra bounty, the Minute Men receive the pecuniary bounty of the Sharpshooter Regiment, to the effective men. All the City, State and United States bounties paid at once. Fine horses, uniforms, arms and complete outfitments on hand and furnished, to recruits immediately. The Regiment has already served with marked distinction in Virginia under the veteran Gens. Wool and Dix. Apply at once to Major W. H. SCHIEFFELIN, No. 320 Broadway.

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U. S. Mail Station C, corner 4th and West Bldg. st.
Dr. E. DENNISON, No. 400 Hudson-st.
The Battalion will meet on MONDAY EVENING, Sept. 16, at 7 o'clock, in Washington-square (northwest corner) for preliminary drill. Parties who have received the roll will then and there report for duty. It is earnestly desired that all members will be present.
By order of Committee of Arrangements.

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CO. A, HEADQUARTERS NO. 676 THIRD-AVENUE.
Young men wanted for this Company who love liberty for its own sake. While we guarantee young men who join this Company, the association of those who love God as well as their country, and desire them to join us for this reason, we, at the same time, give them the advantage of bounty, which is as follows: $13 from the United States; $50; from the State; $25; from the Union; $25; and $10 extra to all who join this Company, being a total of $123.
"Now's the day and now's the hour."
CHRISTOPHER POLLMAN, Captain.

INSURANCE AND THE WAR.—THE UNDERSIGNED, on the payment of one hundred dollars by any person liable to the impending draft, are prepared to pay any one who may be called upon to serve, the sum of three hundred dollars. This will enable him, for a moderate amount, to procure a hand-some bounty for their families while absent in the defence of the Union; also a means of compensating the families of those who may serve in the place of persons drafted.
This plan has the official sanction of the authorities. In case no draft takes place in the State in which the party resides, fifty dollars will be returned.
L. BALLARD & CO.,
Merchants' and Brokers' Agency,
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NEW-YORK, AUG. 25, 1862.
The undersigned, in order to prevent a disturbance in our business, hereby agree our credit terms in the responsibility of Messrs. L. BALLARD & CO., and authorize them to show at their office our permission to refer to us.
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A SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY IS NOW offered to young men desirous of joining the finest and most efficient mounted corps in the service—The Regiment New-York Mounted Rifles, Col. CHARLES C. DODGE, now in service at Norfolk and Suffolk. Only 60 men will be accepted to complete the Sharpshooter Regiment; to the effective men, AR the City, State and United States bounties paid at once. Fine horses, uniforms, arms and complete outfitments on hand and furn

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Purchased by the package, piece, or yard, at the
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A complete stock of new DRESS GOODS, which will be found at retail much less than wholesale prices.
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The subscriber invites the attention of
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HOTEL AND HOUSEKEEPERS
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Having purchased our present Large Stock previous to the late advance, we are selling by the piece, or dress-pattern, lower prices than THE PRESENT WHOLESALE MARKET PRICES. Now is the best time for Hotel Keepers to buy their Winter supply. Please observe the name and number. W. R. PEYTON, No. 374 Bowery, Near Houston-st.

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A superb assortment
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AMERICAN UNION INK, for pen and ink, does not corrode. Sold at Nos. Ludlow-st., and by the trade everywhere.
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A Beautifier and preserver of the Teeth and Gums, and a certain preventive of Toothache.
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A person with decayed teeth, even at the worst and advanced period of life, can scarcely ever be seen in Japan. Decay of the teeth are not only disagreeable in themselves, but more or less affect the whole system. Imperfect mastication of the food is highly productive of dyspepsia, hence arise diseased stomach and impure breath, than which nothing can be more unfortunate or mortifying to their possessors.
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BOARDING—WANTED A PERSON TO GO A FEW miles out of the city, who will board wife or sister that attends one evening a week. Apply at 24 N. B. VANDERVEER'S, No. 416 4th-st., 48 Wednesday, 12 to 10 o'clock.

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BROOKLYN—NO. 19 CLINTON-ST.—PLEASANT apartments for families or single gentlemen. All modern improvements have been introduced, making the house especially desirable for the seeking comfortable home. Omnibuses to Wall-st. and Fulton Ferries. References required.

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FOR SALE, AT NEWTOWN, L. I.—THE Residence of the late William Swan—situated on the Newtown plank road, about half a mile from Newtown village and three and a half miles from Williamsburgh, with about seven acres of land, on which is a double, two story frame house, barn and other outbuildings; Williamsburgh stages pass the door every hour. For particulars, terms, &c., inquire of S. S. BIKER, No. 180 Nassau-st.

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FARM FOR SALE AT RAHWAY, N. J.—The beautiful Knollwood seat, on the railroad depot, where trains start thirteen times daily to New-York, Philadelphia, &c.; convenient for country residence, business; is 20 feet 6 inches by 31 feet 6 inches; dining-room 21 feet by 16 feet 6 inches; kitchen, wash-house, and lodgings adjoining, barn, carriage-house, stables, cow house, &c. The premises are in high condition, very quality land, in a high state of cultivation; it also has a large apple orchard in full bearing; also, pears, plums, &c.; all well laden with fruit; also, strawberry beds, currants, raspberries, blackberries and grapes, in cultivation in abundance; also, a large asparagus bed. For further particulars, inquire of EDMUND STOWELL, on the premises, or of JOHN MEGRAW, Jr., at Degraw's Hotel, at the depôt.

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PROPOSALS FOR $250,000 OF THE CROTON WATER STOCK OF THE CITY OF NEW-YORK.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Comptroller's office, until THURSDAY, Sept. 25, inst., at two o'clock P. M., when the same will be publicly opened for the whole or any part of the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars ($250,000) of the Croton water stock of the City of New-York, authorized by Chapter 372 of the laws of 1862, and as amended by Chapter 181 of the laws of 1861, and by an ordinance of the Common Council, approved by the Mayor Oct. 4, 1861, for increasing the supply of Croton water, &c.

The said stock will bear interest at the rate of six per cent. per annum, payable quarter-yearly, and the principal will be redeemed Nov. 1, 1882.

The proposals will state the amount of stock desired, and no bids for less than one hundred dollars will be received. The persons whose proposals are accepted will be required to deposit with the Chamberlain of the City, within ten days after the opening of the bids, the sum awarded to them respectively.

On presenting to the Comptroller the receipts of the Chamberlain for such deposits, the parties will be entitled to receive certificates for equal amounts of the par value of the stock, bearing interest from the date of payments.

Each proposition should be sealed and indorsed "Proposals for Croton Water Stock of the City of New-York," and the same inclosed in a second envelope, addressed to the Comptroller.

The right is reserved to reject any or all of the bids, if considered necessary, to protect or promote the interests of the City.

ROBERT T. HAWS, Comptroller.
CITY OF NEW-YORK, DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, COMPTROLLER'S OFFICE, Aug. 26, 1862.

OFFICE BEEKMAN INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 70 Wall-st.,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 2, 1862.

AT A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE DIrectors of said Company, held at its office this day, JAMES O. HARRIOTT was unanimously elected President in place of Richard Oakley, deceased, and JOHN G. HAVILAND was unanimously appointed Secretary.

JOHN G. HAVILAND, Secretary.

DEMAND NOTES FOR DUTIES, IN SUMS to suit, for sale by
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DIVIDENDS.

OFFICE OF THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP CO.,
NO. 58 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Aug. 12, 1862.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Board of Directors have this day declared a Dividend of Five (5) per Cent., out of the net earnings of the past (3) three months, payable at the office of the Company on and after FRIDAY, 22d inst.

The transfer book will close on the 14th, and reopen on the 25th inst. By order of the Board.
F. W. G. BELLOWS, Secretary pro tem.

OFFICE OF THE GROCERS' FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
No. 42 WALL-ST., NEW-YORK, Sept. 1, 1862.

TWENTY-FOURTH DIVIDEND.—THE Board of Directors have this day declared a semi-annual Dividend of Five (5) per Cent. on the capital stock of the Company, payable on demand.
JAMES G. PLATT, Secretary.

PHENIX FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY,
BROOKLYN, Sept. 12, 1862.

DIVIDEND.—THE DIRECTORS HAVE DEclared a Semi-annual Dividend of Five per cent. (5) net payable on demand at their Branch Office, No. 52 Wall-st., New-York.
PHILANDER SHAW, Secretary.

FARMERS' AND CITIZENS' BANK OF LONG ISLAND,
BROOKLYN, Sept. 5, 1862.

THE DIRECTORS OF THIS BANK HAVE declared a Semi-annual Dividend of Three Per Cent., payable to the stockholders on and after the 15th inst.
O. M. BEACH, Cashier.

LEGAL NOTICES.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA, IN AND FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT.—WISTAR MORRIS, a holder of Bonds secured by certain mortgages of the Quakake Railroad Company, one dated July 3, 1857, the other dated June 20, 1861, as well for himself as for all others, holders of Bonds so secured, as agreeing to contribute to the expenses of this suit, may become parties hereto complainant, vs. THE QUAKAKE RAILROAD COMPANY, and against William D. Lewis and Charles Hartshorne, trustees, under and by virtue of said mortgages, in Equity of July Term, 1862. No. 7.—Under and by virtue of a decree of the Supreme Court of the State of Pennsylvania, made in the above entitled cause, upon the decree dated of June, A. D., 1862, will be exposed to public sale, by virtue of a subpœna, upon FRIDAY, the 26th day of September, A. D., 1862, at 12 o'clock M., at the Philadelphia Exchange, in the city of Philadelphia, by Messrs. Thomas & Sons, Auctioneers, the following described property, upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned, to wit: The whole of the railroad of the said Quakake Railroad Company, from its junction with the Beaver Meadow Railroad, in Carbon County, State of Pennsylvania, to the point in Rush Township, Schuylkill County, State aforesaid, where the said the Quakake Railroad intersects the Catawissa Railroad, including the right of way, said railroad bed and land occupied, or used, in connection with, or for the maintenance of said railroad; and together with the railways, rails, bridges, masonry and other superstructures, and all culverts, turn-tables, side tracks, depôts, stations, buildings and other structures and improvements of every kind and description, connected with the said railroad; and all real estate of every description, and all tolls, rents, issues and profits, accrued and to accrue from the said railroad, or any part thereof, (save only so much as may be necessary for expenses and repairs,) and all the wharves, docks, piers, passages, waters, water courses, easements, franchises, rights, liberties, privileges and appurtenances whatsoever, and generally all the lands, tenements and hereditaments of the said the Quakake Railroad Company.

A more specific and detailed account of some of the items of property included in and referred to in the foregoing description, may be given as follows:

RAILROAD.

which is about fourteen miles in length, and extends westwardly from its junction with the Beaver Meadow Railroad, to the confluence of the Quakake and Black Creeks in Carbon County, along the valley of the Quakake Creek, and that of the east branch of the Little Schuylkill River to the intersection of the said the Quakake Railroad with the Catawissa Railroad, in Rush Township, Schuylkill County. Ten miles of the railroad are graded for a double track. The length of the single track (including sidings) is about fifteen and one-quarter miles. The railroad is constructed in the best manner, and laid with American iron weighing fifty pounds to the yard. There is one water station and an engine house. There is also an iron turn-table of the best construction, forty-five feet in diameter. The road is provided with all necessary sidings and switches.

BRIDGES

There are five bridges. All are substantially built, save one, which is on trestles. It is well built, and intended to replace the bridge over the Quakake Creek, at the Lewis Hudson junction, recently destroyed by fire. With this exception there is no trestle work on the road. The masonry of the bridges over the Quakake Creek, and the east branch of the Little Schuylkill River, is laid and erected for the purpose of accommodating a double track.

TERMS OF SALE.

The said railroad, property, franchises and premises mentioned in the said two mortgages and hereinbefore described, will be exposed to sale entire and in one lot, and the following terms and conditions will be observed in the making of the said sale, in accordance with the decree of the Court:

The said premises shall be sold to the highest and best bidder; and in case any of the holders of any of the said bonds or coupons intended to be secured by said two mortgages shall become purchasers by themselves or with others, they shall be and are by said decree authorized to deliver their said bonds or coupons to the trustees under said two mortgages, (and acting as in said decree is mentioned,) who shall indorse thereon the shares or dividends, if any, which the holders would be respectively entitled to receive on account of such bonds or coupons, as their portion of the proceeds of sale on distribution, if the purchase money was paid in cash, after deducting therefrom all proper commissions, expenses, counsel fees and costs incurred by said trustees in said proceeding; or which shares or dividends the said indorsement shall be a full discharge and satisfaction, and the total amount thereof shall be credited to said purchasers on account of the price or purchase money bid by them, and the balance of said purchase money shall be paid in cash to said trustees. And in the event that the holders of said bonds or coupons shall not be entitled to any share or dividend on account thereof, out of the said purchase money, or that the property shall be purchased by others than the holders of bonds or coupons, so entitled, then the whole of said purchase money shall be paid in cash to said trustees.

The sum of five thousand dollars of the purchase money of said property amounts paid in cash, at the time and place of the sale, and the balance within twenty days thereafter. And after the confirmation of said sale by the Court, and the compliance with the terms thereof by the purchasers, the said WILLIAM D. LEWIS and CHARLES HARTSHORNE, Trustees, under the two mortgages, under which said sale is decreed, shall forthwith execute and deliver to the purchasers, or purchaser, a deed of conveyance for the property, rights, privileges, immunities and franchises aforesaid, in fee simple, and said purchaser or purchasers shall have, take and enjoy the same, freed and discharged from all trusts and incumbrances whatsoever.

Any further information in respect to said sale or premises, may be had upon application to either of the under signed trustees, by whom said sale is held.

WILLIAM D. LEWIS,
CHARLES HARTSHORNE, Trustees, Philadelphia.

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PUBLIC NOTICES.

CORPORATION NOTICE.

Public Notice is hereby given, to the owner or owners, occupant or occupants of all houses and lots, improved or unimproved lands, affected thereby, that the following assessments have been completed, and are lodged in the office of the Board of Assessors for examination by all persons interested, viz: For sewer in Grove-street, from one-hundred and seventy feet east of Hudson-street, to sewer in Hudson-street; for regulating and grading sixty-first-street, between Second and the East River. The time for which the assessment for such Assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on both sides of Grove-street, between Bedford and Hudson streets, and on west side of Hudson-street, Ward No. 1,119, (St. Luke's Church,) on both sides of Sixty-first-street, from the East River to the Second Avenue.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above-named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing, to one of the undersigned, at their office, No. 32 Chambers-street, basement Novelt Court-House, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

CHARLES McNEILL,
JACOB F. OAKLEY, } Board of Assessors.
WM. A. DOOLEY,
OFFICE BOARD OF ASSESSORS, NEW COURT-HOUSE, Sept. 9, 1862.

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The limits embraced by such assessment include all the several houses and lots of ground, vacant lots, pieces and parcels of land, situated on both sides of Hudson-street, from Leight-street to Vandewater-street; on both sides of Pearl-street between New-Bowery and Rose-street; west side of Vandewater-street, from a point one hundred and sixteen feet south of Pearl, to said Pearl-street; east side of Rose-street from Pearl-street, to a point about ninety-two feet eight inches south of Duane-street.

All persons whose interests are affected by the above named assessments, and who are opposed to the same, or either of them, are requested to present their objections in writing, to one of the undersigned, at their office, No. 32 Chambers-street, basement New Court-House, within thirty days from the date of this notice.

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All persons interested in the above or either of them, and having objections thereto, are requested to present the same in writing to the Contract Clerk, at this office, on or before Saturday, September 20, 1862.

THOMAS STEPHENS,
THOMAS S. TAPPEN,
A. W. CRAVEN,
Croton Aqueduct Board.

THE COMMITTEE ON SEWERS OF THE Board of Aldermen will meet every WEDNESDAY, at 2 o'clock P. M., in Room No. 8, City Hall. Parties interested in any matter before the Committee will have an opportunity of being heard.
T. FARLEY,
IRA S. ALLEN,
G. A. JEREMIAH,
Committee on Sewers.

THE COMMITTEE ON FIRE DEPARTMENT of the Board of Aldermen will meet every SATURDAY, at 2 o'clock, in the City Library Room, City Hall.
ALEX. FREAR,
IRA S. ALLEN,
WILLIAM WALSH,
Committee on Fire Department.

PROPOSALS.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED by the School Officers of the Seventh Ward, at the office of the Clerk of the Board of Education, corner of Grand and Elm streets, until WEDNESDAY, the seventeenth day of September, at 12 o'clock, at noon, for the erection and completion of a new Primary School-house, including the steam-heating apparatus, to be built on the two lots of ground situated at Nos. 68 and 70 Mourose-street, in said Ward. Plans and specifications for said School-house, including steam-heating apparatus, can be seen at the office of the Superintendent of School Buildings, No. 94 Crosby-street. Proposals must state for each branch of the work separately, and be indorsed "Proposals for Mason work," "Proposals for Carpenter work," "Proposals for Painting," and "Proposals for Heating." Proposals for the heating must be accompanied with accurate drawings and descriptions of the apparatus proposed to be furnished; otherwise they will be rejected. Two responsible and approved sureties will be required from each successful bidder, and no proposal will be considered in which no sureties are named.

The School Officers of the Ward reserve the right to reject any or all of the proposals offered, if deemed for the public interest to do so.
BERNARD SMYTH,
WILSON SMALL,
JAMES MOORE,
Committee of School Officers of the Seventh Ward.
Dated September 5, 1862.

QUARTERMASTER'S OFFICE, No. 16 MAIDEN-LANE,
NEW-YORK, Sept. 4, 1862.

PROPOSALS—WILL BE RECEIVED AT THIS office until the 17th day of September at 12 o'clock M., of that day for furnishing the United States Government with Five hundred (500) horses for Artillery and Cavalry service, an equal proportion of each. Said horses to be delivered in this City within twenty (20) days after awarding the contract; the horses to be inspected on the ground appointed by the Quartermaster's Department; the horses to be of dark colors, fifteen and a half hands and upwards in height, not less than five years, nor more than eight years of age, sound in every respect, and free from blemish. The ability of the bidder to fill the contract, should it be awarded him, must be guaranteed by two responsible persons, whose signatures must be appended to the guarantee.

The bidders must be present in person when the bids are opened, or their proposals will not be considered.
STEWART VAN VLIET,
Major and Q. M. U. S. A.

CENTRAL DEPARTMENT OF THE METROPOLITAN POLICE, No. 413 Broadway, New-York, Sept. 12, 1862.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at this office, until the 20th inst., for the delivery of 1,000 tons of coal, of 2,240 pounds each.

Specifications may be examined at this office, by all persons desirous of proposing.
S. C. HAWLEY, Chief Clerk.

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AUG. F. LEE, Secretary.

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IMPORTANT TO THE MARRIED AND THOSE ABOUT TO BE MARRIED.—Dr. A. M. MACRICKA, Professor of Diseases of Women, has just published the 50th edition of the valuable book, entitled "THE MARRIED WOMAN'S PRIVATE MEDICAL COMPANION," entirely intended for those whose health or circumstances render it inexpedient to increase their family. Price $1. Sold at his office, No. 129 Liberty-st., New-York; or can be sent by mail, free of postage, to any part of the United States and Canada, by inclosing $1, and addressing Box No. 1,224 New-York City. For sale by R. RICHARDSON, at No. 3 Vesey-st., (Astor House,) and No. 16 Ann-st.; FEDERHEN & CO., 13 Court-st., Boston.

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FIGHTING IN WESTERN VIRGINIA

Sudden Appearance of a Heavy Force of Rebels Near Gauley.

Retreat of Our Forces to Elk River.

A Desperate Battle Progressing at Last Accounts.

CHARLESTON, Ohio, Sunday, Sept. 14.

On Wednesday a column of the enemy, about 8,000 strong, said to be under command of Gen. LEE, the first notice of whom was his appearance in our rear, between Fayette and Gauley, made an attack on the Thirty-fourth and Thirty-seventh Ohio, under Col. REZIN, numbering 1,200 men, encamped at Fayette. A desperate battle was fought, lasting till dark. Our forces cut their way through, reaching Gauley during the night, having lost 100 killed and wounded.

Meantime, another column of the enemy approached Gauley Bridge on the Lewisburgh road, consisting of the Forty-seventh Ohio, two Companies of the Ninth Virginia and one company of the Second Virginia Cavalry who were at Summerville. Nothing has since been heard of them.

Under these circumstances Col. LOWRY's front flank and rear being threatened by an overwhelming force, he was compelled to evacuate Gauley, which was successfully done on the 11th, after destroying all the Government property he was unable to bring away.

He moved down the Kanawha in two columns, one on each side of the river, reaching Camp Piatt on the afternoon of the 12th, skirmishing the whole way here. He massed his troops on the north bank of the Kanawha, but being hard pressed retreated during the night, reaching Elk river just below Charleston.

On the 13th, he made another stand on the lower bank of the Elk River, where a desperate fight ensued, lasting from morning till dark. Our forces shelled and burned Charleston, two houses only being left. The result of the fight is unknown.

Nothing has been heard of LOWRY since Saturday, at 6 P. M. Up to that time our troops were holding the ground, punishing the enemy severely.

It is understood that our forces destroyed all the salt works. LOWRY brought 600 loaded wagons safely to Elk River.

The retreat to Elk River was conducted in good order. Great anxiety is felt for the safety of LOWRY's command, as well as Point Pleasant and Gallipolis.

The militia are flocking here from this and the adjacent counties.

The enemy's force is represented at 10,000.

IMPORTANT FROM NORTH CAROLINA.

Particulars of the Late Affair at Washington—Another Surprise—Gallantry of Our Troops—Final Repulse of the Rebels—The Explosion of the Gunboat Picket, &c.

From Our Own Correspondent.

NEWBERN, N. C., Sunday, Sept. 7, 1862.

The quiet of the town was startled, this morning, by the intelligence, brought by a transport, of a brisk battle yesterday in the town of Washington, N. C. Early on yesterday morning—at about 4 o'clock—as the Third New-York Cavalry, Col. MIX, were leaving the village on an expedition into the interior, a rebel force, composed of six companies of cavalry and as many infantry, rushed into town with wild yells, and immediately surrounded the barracks of our infantry—a large brick warehouse in the very heart of the village. It was a complete surprise—our men being nearly all asleep in their quarters. The Third New-York Cavalry, hearing the noise, wheeled about forthwith and charged upon the rebels, our infantry in the barracks meanwhile firing upon the enemy from the windows of the warehouse.

The fight continued for nearly two hours and terminated in the entire repulse of the rebel marauders, who were pursued by the gallant Col. MIX and his men over seven miles out of town.

The gunboat *Louisiana*, Lieut. RENSHAW commanding, rendered most valuable service in accelerating the flight of the Confederates, discharging shot and shell with great rapidity and precision. Unfortunately, the gunboat *Picket*, Capt. NICHOLS commanding, after firing one gun, blew up from the explosion of her magazine, killing nineteen of those on board, including Capt. NICHOLS, and wounding six. This sad accident was occasioned by the carelessness of some one who entered the magazine, which happened to be left unlighted, with a burning candle.

The troops engaged in the action on our side were four companies Third New-York Cavalry, one company Third New York Artillery; Companies B and D of the Twenty-fourth Massachusetts, and Companies A and B, First North Carolina Union Volunteers, Col. E. E. POTTER commanding. Col. POTTER, who is a New-Yorker, behaved with distinguished gallantry, having a horse shot under him. Lieuts. PENNINGTON and STRONG, aids to Gen. POTTER, also exhibited great valor and efficiency. The Massachusetts boys fought well, as usual; while the North Carolina Regiment bore themselves most bravely, as they have in every fight in which they have so far participated. One reason of this is, they have suffered from the rebels, and another, they fight with halters about their necks.

In this brush, Co. D, Twenty-fourth Massachusetts, had 2 wounded; Co. B, Twenty-fourth Massachusetts, 4 wounded; Co. G, Third New-York Artillery, 2 killed, 2 wounded, and 4 missing; Co. H, Third New-York Artillery, 1 killed and 7 wounded. The Third New-York Cavalry lost 2 killed and 25 wounded. Lieut. EVANSON, the gallant Adjutant of this regiment, was shot in the knee, and it is feared amputation will be necessary.

Co. B, First Regiment North Carolina Union Volunteers, lost 2 killed and seven wounded.

Thirty of the rebels were killed, and of their wounded, sixteen were taken in two ambulances, which were captured from the retreating foe. We took 20 prisoners besides.

During the engagement, the rebels recovered, and carried off with them, four 6-pounders, previously captured by us at the battle of Neubern.

The morning was foggy, and the whole town wrapped in sleep. Had Col. MIX and his cavalry not promptly appeared upon the ground as they did, the consequences of this rebel raid might have been far more serious.

Confiscation in Missouri.

ST. LOUIS, Sunday, Sept. 14.

In compliance with orders from the Secretary of War, Gen. SCHOFIELD has ordered the Provost-Marshal-General for the District of Missouri to proceed without delay to carry into effect the Confiscation act, so far as the provisions of said act are subject to be carried into effect by the military authorities of the United States in the district. The property liable to confiscation in the district is estimated at fifty millions.

Fire in Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Sunday, Sept. 14.

The City Malt House, corner of Block-street and West Pale-avenue, owned, and occupied by FRANCIS DARNALL, was burned this morning. Insured; total loss, $25,000.

IMPORTANT FROM CINCINNATI.

The Rebel Army Retreating in Confusion.

The Ohio Militia Going Home.

CINCINNATI, Saturday, Sept. 13.

The rebel army has fallen back beyond Florence.

Some stragglers taken by our scouts say they had 20,000 men, while others say that only 10,000 advanced to this side of Florence, under Gen. HEATH.

The prisoners say the raid of the rebels was made because they had heard of Gen. BUELL's presence in Kentucky, and had not heard from Gen. BRAGG.

Our latest report last night says that the rebels are retreating in confusion.

CINCINNATI, Saturday, Sept. 13.

Gov. TOD has ordered home the militia sent here for the defence of the Border. The Cincinnati troops returned to the city this afternoon, their services being no longer required in Kentucky—the force of regular troops there being sufficient for any emergency. The streets are thronged with people to welcome them home.

The rebels are reported at Alton, twenty miles South.

It is reported to-night that Charleston, Va., has been evacuated and burned by our troops, who are falling toward the Ohio.

CINCINNATI, Sunday, Sept. 14.

All is quiet here. The enemy is still represented to be in force south of Florence

ACCOUNTS FROM THE CINCINNATI PAPERS.

The Retreat of the Rebels—Excitement Subsiding—The Recent Skirmishing—Casualties, &c.

From the Gazette of Saturday Morning.

The prospect of an engagement across the river has, during the last twenty-four hours, dwindled down to a very insignificant point, and our people have generally relapsed into their former state of security. The defiant enemy, who, flushed with a recent victory and the temporary conquest of the fairest portion of our sister State, has been knocking at the gates of our city for admission, has suddenly, and rather unexpectedly to most persons, beat a hasty retreat. This movement on his part shows clearly that he is not wanting in that better part of valor.

The crisis is now fairly passed. The "sustained effort" on the part of our people (which NAPIER says large cities are incapable of;) the continued influx of regular troops and the yeomanry of Ohio, with their shot guns and rifles; the advanced condition of our fortifications and intrenchments on the opposite side of the river, and the unlimited confidence placed by all in those at the head of military affairs, have fully reestablished confidence in our midst.

The news that the enemy is in full retreat, and that our cavalry are in pursuit, will not be apt to alter this condition of affairs.

Matters over the river were comparatively quiet yesterday. Before noon it was generally known that the enemy had fallen back from the position occupied by him the night previous, but this occasioned a feeling of regret rather than joy. Our rifle-pits and earthworks were in such a forward condition, and our troops were so advantageously posted, that an attack was almost universally courted, so confident were all that in the event of an assault the enemy would have been sorely punished.

The heavy rains of Thursday afternoon and night sorely tested the soldierly qualities of our "Reserves," nearly all of whom, it is needless to say, are entirely unused to a life of such exposure and fatigue. The gallant fellows were not only without any shelter, but many of them had not even a blanket to protect them from the pelting of the sudden and pitiless storm. After a sleepless night in the rain, their appearance yesterday was not that of holiday soldiers, but their spirits were still good, and their determination to defend their homes to the last unabated. The First and Second Reserves were encamped on the left of the Bank Lick turnpike, near Fort Anderson, and the Third on the left of the Lexington pike, near Fort Mitchel.

Up to yesterday morning, our advance on the Lexington pike was held by a portion of the One Hundred and Fourth Ohio Regiment, under command of Lieut.-Col. MARRIOTT, formerly editor of the Summit County *Beacon*. They now occupy the ground of Mr. H. G. BUCKNER, a rebel sympathizer, who has fled his house about half a mile beyond Fort Mitchel. The One Hundred and Fourth has the honor of monopolizing nearly all the skirmishing that took place with the enemy during his stay.

A short distance beyond Mr. BUCKNER's residence is a heavy piece of woods, extending on both sides of the road, which the enemy occupied from Tuesday till Thursday night. From this timber the rebels frequently emerged in considerable numbers, and on Thursday afternoon a sharp skirmish ensued between the One Hundred and Fourth and a body of Texan troops, which soon resulted in the latter seeking shelter in the woods. What loss they sustained, if any, is not known, though it is believed they did not escape without harm. Our loss was four wounded, as follows: WM. TAYLOR, Co. B—bowels, badly; HENRY SHANTZ, Co. G—right arm and side; ALEXANDER LOWERY, Co. G—leg amputated; and JOHN RAWBOTHS, Co. F—right breast, slightly.

WM. BLEAKS, Fourth Sergeant of Company A, One Hundred and Fourth Regiment, was shot while on picket duty, Wednesday evening, and has since died. He is represented by his comrades to have been a gallant fellow. His last words were: "Colonel, tell my friends that I tried to do my duty."

Yesterday morning, a battalion of the One Hundred and First Ohio was placed in the advance, and after reconnoitering the country for a short time, it was discovered the enemy had retreated. Our forces pushed on about two miles, when they came upon the camping ground of the enemy. Military men, who have examined the place, give it as their opinion that the force of the rebels could not have exceeded eight eight or ten thousand. Several stragglers, most of them sick, were picked up during the day, who say the retreat began about 12 o'clock Thursday night. The indications are that it was precipitate.

Later in the day the "Wallace Scouts," a company of mounted men from Covington, pursued the enemy cautiously, thoroughly scouring the country between Fort Mitchel and Florence, but without getting a sight of the retreating foe. They continued the pursuit a mile or two beyond Florence, and then returned. On their way back they met the Tenth Kentucky Cavalry, who would probably come up with the enemy last night, and accelerate their retreat. The "Wallace Scouts" during their reconnoissance picked ten or a dozen stragglers, and at one place captured sixty blankets, five mules, and a few sabres and guns.

Last evening, Gen. WALLACE and Staff rode out to the front. The General addressed a few remarks to the Cincinnati Reserves, telling them that the enemy were in full retreat, and that our forces were in hot pursuit. He assured the Reserves that all danger was passed, and promised them that he would dispense with their services in a day or two at the furthest.

From the Enquirer of Saturday Morning.

The excitement of Thursday, occasioned by the near approach of the rebel army, sobered down considerably yesterday, when the news came that they were falling back. Rumors of skirmishing and preparation for battle circulated during the forenoon, but they proved void of foundation. In the afternoon we visited Fort Anderson, where everything was quiet. The Cincinnati regiment removed during the day from the position it heretofore held, across the creek, and an Indiana regiment now occupies the ground. From Fort Anderson we crossed to Fort Mitchel, and some distance beyond found the One Hundred and Fourth Ohio, Col. RILEY, encamped at the residence of H. T. BUCKNER, Esq., on the Lexington pike. From the Lieutenant-Colonel of the regiment, A. S. MARRIOTT, who, by the way, lately edited the *Summit County Beacon*, we learned the extent of the casualties, resulting in the previous skirmishing, which was chiefly maintained by the One Hundred and Fourth.

It seems that on Wednesday the rebels were observed to swarm about the woods some half mile distant, when the Lieutenant-Colonel, who has temporary command of the regiment, with thirty men, went to reconnoiter. When near the timber they were fired upon, and the work commenced and was maintained, occasionally, with much spirit, until Thursday afternoon, when it is presumed they made preparation to retreat.

In the skirmishing, WILLIAM BURRS, of Massillon, belonging to Company A, was shot through the heart and died almost immediately, exclaiming to his comrades, "For God's sake, tell my friends I did my duty." WILLIAM TAYLOR, of Company B, was shot through the bowels, the wound is dangerous, but not necessarily fatal. HENRY SHANTZ, of Company G, was shot through the right arm and the ball lodged in his side. A. LOWRY, of Company G, was severely wounded in the leg, which it was found necessary to amputate, and JOHN RAWBOTHS, of Company F, was shot through the right breast, the ball passing out at the back, but he will recover.

The advance force of the rebels is variously estimated at from four thousand to eight thousand, and a visit to their recent camping-ground disclosed the fact that they occupied in force about a mile upon each side of the turnpike. There were remnants of slaughtered cattle and poultry, for during their stay they feasted upon the abundance of the neighborhood. Mr. STRAUB, who lives three miles this side of Florence, states that their retrograde movement commenced at 9 o'clock in the evening, and it took them from that time until 3 o'clock in the morning to pass his house. He counted thirty-six pieces of artillery. In the afternoon Gen. WALLACE's scouts, a cavalry company numbering one hundred sabres, made a dash into Florence and a mile beyond, when they ascertained that the enemy was about three miles off. They captured a round dozen of the Butternuts, together with some mules, and about sixty blankets. These, with sixteen brought in previously during the day, made twenty-eight, generally composed of Texans and Georgians. Others were found lying sick with fever at Florence, but they were left to the care of persons who proffered to nurse them.

One of the prisoners captured in the forenoon is a contraband, and evidently looks upon the affair as a good joke. He says that he belonged to a lady of New-Orleans, who loaned him to a captain in the rebel army to wait upon him. "Golly," said he, "dis chile tink and tink ober so long how it am best for him to desert, and when masse begin to go upon de backward movement last night, I says, now's de time, chile; if you looks sharp, you'll dodge um ober. So I creeps and I creeps till I gets to a gully, and den *I creeps like an ole rat after him cheese*, and, yah! yah! yah! here I is!" and Sambo exhibited as formidable a semi-circle of teeth as ever closed upon a dainty piece of pork.

The rebel force under the combined command of SMITH and HEATH is estimated at twenty thousand. It is certain that at 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon they had a force about three miles beyond Florence, but the conjecture was that they were gradually falling back.

IMPORTANT FROM PORT ROYAL.

Arrival of the Crew of the Wrecked Steamer Adirondack—Further Particulars of her Loss—Capture of a Valuable Prize, &c.

From Our Own Correspondent.

PORT ROYAL, Monday, Sept. 8, 1862.

The gunboat *Canandaigua* arrived on Saturday, with the officers and crew of the steam frigate *Adirondack*, who were wrecked on Man-of-War Key, the easternmost point of Abaco Island, on the 23d ult. There is little to be added to the report of the disaster which you have already received. The vessel struck at 2 o'clock in the morning, having been swept toward the reef by an unusually strong current, and I understand that no one can be blamed for the mishap. Some Government property was saved from the wreck, but the armament, which was most valuable, is irretrievably lost. The wreckers of Abaco set fire to the hull, and it burned to the water's edge. Usually it is the business of these pirates of the shore to save instead of to destroy, but in this case it seemed that hatred of the United States was a stronger feeling than cupidity.

On the morning of the 4th, a vessel was discovered aground in South Edisto channel, and a boat having been dispatched by Capt. ERVING, of the United States bark *Shepherd Knapp*, blockading at that point, to ascertain her character, she proved to be the bark *Fanny Lowery*, of Quebec, recently from Nassau, New Providence, with a cargo of salt, quinine, wines and other articles, at present of high value to the rebels. She had a regular clearance on board for Quebec, but her captain, a French Canadian, acknowledged that Charleston was intended as his real destination. A prize crew was put on board and the vessel made sail for this port.

We are in deep suspense in consequence of the discouraging aspect of affairs North at the date of our last advices. We expect speedy relief, however, as a steamer is hourly expected with Major General O. M. MITCHEL, successor to Gen. HUNTER, in the command of this Department.

H. J. W.

THE WAR IN KANSAS.

THE SACKING OF OLATHE.

About 1 o'clock Sunday morning, the 7th inst., QUANTRELL, with two hundred and thirty men, dashed into and took possession of Olathe, the county seat of Johnson County. From that time until he left, at an early hour in the morning, he and his men were engaged in the work of murder, plunder and devastation.

The first places visited were the stores kept by S. F. HILL, J. E. CLARK, and FREDERICK HOYE. From Mr. CLARK's store they stole $900, and enough from the others to make $3,000. Capt. J. E. HAYES (absent in this city) had about fifty recruits stationed at Olathe, all of whom were captured and their arms taken. Mr. SKINNER and Mr. WIGGINS, both recruits, were killed for making resistance. Mr. BLANCHARD, of Spring Hill, was also killed. They took fifty horses and mules, attached them to the best wagons they could find, and loaded them with goods seized from the stores. Private houses were entered, furniture broken, blankets stolen, and doors and windows beaten down. The only citizens protected were Judge CARMICHAEL and Old TURNER—both of these men were in favor of "the Constitution as it is and the Union as it was." The printing-offices of the *Mirror* and the *Herald* were burned and their contents demolished. The records of the County Clerk's office were torn in pieces and scattered to the winds. A Union flag suspended over the recruiting-office of Capt. HAYES was torn to shreds and trampled in the dust by these mad assailants.

QUANTRELL said when he left that he was going to Paola, and that he should not rest until he had laid the border in ruin.

GOV. ROBINSON'S PROCLAMATION.

FELLOW-CITIZENS OF KANSAS: The rebellion inaugurated for the overthrow of the Government seems more formidable than ever; the rebels have largely increased in numbers and hostility, having, after more than a year's struggle, returned to the Capital of the nation, threatening its capture or destruction, while foreign intervention is imminent, and the cause of the war remains intact. Under present circumstances, it is impossible to foretell the result either to the nation or our own State.

On our northwestern, western and southern borders are large numbers of Indians, said to be unusually restive and threatening, while on the east are numerous bands of rebels, liable at any time to invade our State.

One-half of the enrolled militia of the State have entered the United States service, leaving their families to the protection of those who remain.

In view of these considerations it becomes the duty of every citizen of Kansas able to bear arms, to qualify himself for the duties of a soldier and to be in a condition to defend the National and State Governments from foes of every description.

The large number of enlistments into the service of the United States, has destroyed the organization of the Volunteer Militia effected one year ago, making a reorganization necessary. Therefore, all the volunteer companies still retaining their organization with forty men or over, will report at once to the Adjutant-General their roll with the number and kind of arms, if any.

All able-bodied citizens not connected with a volunteer company, are requested to organize themselves in accordance with the Militia Law, and report their organization to the Adjutant-General without delay, who will forward commissions.

As soon as the organization of the companies shall have been completed throughout the State, a Regimental and Brigade reorganization will be effected.

It is recommended that each company meet for drill on Saturday of each week.

Application will be made to the War Department for arms, and if successful, they will be furnished to the companies complying with the provisions of the law.

According to advices from Washington no more volunteers have been called for, and no drafting will be had in this State.

Our Government, State and National, is in danger; Republican institutions for all time and all lands are trembling in the balance, and it become every citizen of Kansas to be prepared to do his duty, and do it well, at a moment's warning.

Done at Topeka this 7th day of September, A. D. 1862.

C. ROBINSON.

By the Governor.

S. R. SHEPHERD, Secretary of State.

AN EXTRAORDINARY PERFORMANCE.

Forgery by a Clerk of the United States Marshal—His Disappearance and Antecedents.

It is reported that a young man who has been employed as a clerk in the private office of Marshal MURRAY has recently departed very suddenly in consequence of unpleasant inquiries which were about to be made as to a check for $750 presented by him in the name of the Marshal at one of our banks, the check being a forgery. It is also reported that an examination showed other forgeries out of which the young man had realized about $1,200.

It is also said that on the day when the forgery was discovered a person presented to Mr. CHASE, the Assistant Treasurer of the United States, a letter purporting to come from Marshal MURRAY, which notified him that he should call upon him the next day for the amount of prize-money deposited in the Treasury, that amount being about $250,000; that he gave him this notice the day before in order that he might be ready without delay to pay the amount, to receive which he would send Mr. DWYER, who was the bearer of the note. This note appearing to be all right, arrangements were being made to pay the money to Mr. DWYER when he should present himself but before that time arrived, forgeries were discovered, and Mr. DWYER failed to make his appearance to receive the little amount for which he had made so bold a raid.

The most extraordinary part of the affair is, that the young man in question is a fellow who was some years since arrested here by the Marshal of this District and sent back to England from which he had made his escape, under a charge of forgery. His case was pending some time here before the Commissioner, during which time he remained in custody of the Marshal. On his return to England he was tried and convicted of embezzlement, of which, as we recollect the case, he did not pretend to be innocent, and was sentenced to transportation for a term of years, on he expiration of which he came to this City, and though the facts of his case were perfectly well known to many in and about the Marshal's office, if not to the Marshal himself, he was installed as clerk or secretary to the Marshal, from which post he has now made his exit, as was to be expected, in this expeditious manner.

THE FREEDMEN OF THE SOUTH.

Their Organization, Labor, Piety, Union Spirit and Zeal. Lecture by Rev. Dr. French—Narrative of Robert Smalls, the "Hero of the Planter"—An Immense Audience and Thrilling Exhibition.

The Church of the Puritans was crowded to its utmost capacity last evening, by a dense congregation of both sexes assembled to hear the Rev. Dr. FRENCH, of the Port Royal Freedmen's Relief Association, relate a chapter of his experience among the negroes recently reclaimed from Slavery, by the arms of the United States in the Department of the South.

Dr. FRENCH opened the exercises with prayer and the reading of the 50th Psalm, after an appropriate canticle sung by the choir.

The reverend gentleman then proceeded to defend the course of Gen. HUNTER in his proceedings while Commandant of the Southern Department, and to reiterate the statement that the General's return to the North was solely on leave of absence requested by himself. As this portion of Dr. FRENCH's discourse has been more than once elaborately set forth in the TIMES, we proceed to the more novel themes eliminated.

NEGRO INDUSTRY.

Those who accuse the negroes set to work at Port Royal and elsewhere on the Southern coast, through the exertions of the Association, of indolence and unthriftiness, said the lecturer, not only do the poor black men cruel injustice, but speak directly in defiance of the facts. On the plantations marked out for their labor by the Government, and controlled by the Superintendents of the Association, not only did the negroes, who came to the flag for freedom, thoroughly cultivate their allotted portions and perform the extra tasks assigned them, but in very many instances tilled five times as much ground for themselves, and a large number of them now have saved from $3 to $50 this season out of their earnings themselves. There sat in the audience a poor colored woman from Georgia, an escaped slave, who had laid by full $50 in that way to bring North, but had been robbed of it on her way hither. On their own portions of ground the negroes raised the little corn, cotton, rice, potatoes and melons they themselves required, and a quantity for sale besides. To do this they rose early and watched late, and not only was their zeal in this work of self-emancipation from poverty a marvel, but so cheerful and contented were they withal, that there was no danger whatever should they universally gain their freedom that the North would be overrun with them, and the price of labor, but the contrary would hold good. The plantations of the teeming South would be cultivated and made to produce as they had never done before by free labor, and the process would be superintended by Northern farmers, or others imbued with similar principles. The climate there was by no means so unhealthy as it had been represented, and the resources of life were in profuse abundance. Dr. FRENCH here drew a pleasing picture of the improvements introduced into the home-life of the negroes—how, as they began to feel free and earn an independent subsistence, their cabins were white-washed, swept clean, kept in order, pictures and maps cut from illustrated newspapers were pasted up on the walls by the women as a decoration, the rivalry in neatness thus produced, and the general elevating and refining effect. On his representation, the commanding officers and the Society had permitted him to introduce into some twenty-five of the cabins on twenty-five different plantations what had never been known before—a window with panes eight by twelve inches in dimension.

To this luxury of light were subsequently added tables three by four feet, good strong tin wash basins, neat cups, stout bed-ticks, which the negro women themselves made up, and finally, a small looking-glass for each cabin. The effect of the father of the family, sitting at the head of his neat table, with his children, clothed and fed and round it, and nothing a monument of his humble force, was very touching. Hitherto they had bolted their kneadings, &c. in a common skillet, and eaten it out of oyster shells when and wherever they could, some indoors and some outside, in every variety of attitude. The ludicrous pranks of both old and young darkies on eyeing themselves for the first time in the mirror were amusingly described.

THE FIFTY

of the negroes was declared to be so deep, so strong, and so trustful, that the Dr. declared he ever felt uplifted and exalted in contemplating it. They all fully and sincerely believed that God was in the new things they beheld, and was working irresistibly for them.

THE SCHOOLS

established were numerous, and successful beyond all previous belief. They numbered in all from 3,000 to 5,000 learners of all sexes and all ages, from tiny childhood up to decrepit age. The thirst, the appetite and aptitude of all these pupils was surprising, and it was a touching spectacle to see mothers with babes at their breast, old grey-headed men and matrons sitting about—some on benches, some on the floor, following the wand of the teacher as it pointed out the letters and words of one and two syllables to be pronounced and spelt aloud. One venerable patriarch of 75, after a few lessons, distinguished himself in spelling, and when asked why he took such trouble in his old age, replied that old as he was he wanted to learn to read the blessed Book (the Bible) when he "went over Jordan." At Fernandina the Doctor opened a school on the very first day with 112 pupils, and on the second it was largely increased, the juveniles alone numbering 107. He there called in to his assistance a soldier from the noble Ninth Maine Regiment, and among his classes found two young women, one from Jacksonville, Fla., and the other from Georgia, who could already read quite well, and, these, too, he got to assist. He found that these girls also possessed rich voices and rare talent for music, and with their aid, opened a singing-class. One lovely afternoon, at the close of the usual exercises, there was a pause—the strangest, most impressive pause the Doctor ever felt—and then, suddenly the clear, round, full voice of the Florida girl opened with—

"John Brown's body lies a-mouldering in the ground," and by magic, the whole singing-class, sixty in number, chimed in, bringing out the chorus with an effect that made him weep. Where they had learned it he could not conjecture, but it was given with wonderful precision and vigor, and created a great sensation in the town. The windows of the large public building in which they sang being out, the "Secesh Union" people of the place—the only kind of Union people down there—swarmed about the premises in amazement. While the class sang they were joined by forty more scholars, and the entire 100 marched around and around, keeping time to the cadence. Yet, when the Doctor spoke to a Massachusetts lady, who had lived South several years, and had two pianos in her house, to solicit her aid in giving the colored songstress an opportunity to receive instruction, she pompously declined, saying that she deemed it "derogatory to the character of the sex."

THE NEGRO BRIGADE

was spoken of in high terms. Without arms and scarcely clad, the negroes, when organized, were docile, obedient and easily disciplined. Gen. HUNTER kept them thus for four months, and employed them to lade and unlade ships, and do other work to relieve the white soldiers, but when he found that the latter reviled and abused them in every conceivable way, his conscience would not let him subject them to such treatment any longer. Arms and equipments at length came, but the brigade was shortly afterward disbanded.

THE PRO-SLAVERY UNION GENERALS,

as Dr. FRENCH called them, were from the highest to the lowest bitterly satirized by him, with the remark that he had learned "free speech down in Georgia." The Doctor's declaration that the Government, in endeavoring to exclude universal freedom from the contest, was fighting against Omnipotence; that God has his hand upon the nation's pulse, and would dig its grave if that pulse beat not true to liberty; that this war was upon the Negro Question, and not about JEFF. DAVIS and the South; and that man must be blind who did not see in what was occurring there, the doom of Slavery, was received with tremendous applause.

The negroes, he said, would fight valiantly, gloriously, and to the death; they had every incentive, and Gen. HUNTER had said that with two full brigades composed of such material as the first, he could have conquered all Florida. [Renewed applause.]

Reverting to the proposed abandonment of the Southern Department and the 10,000 blacks who had escaped to the Flag from bondage, the lecturer protested most solemnly against, and said that upon the measure being hinted to Commodore DUPONT, the latter had, with uplifted hands, exclaimed that if he had to do it, he would sooner be a cruel and merciless wretch than a man, he would feel like breaking his sword, turning his back upon the land, and going away to Europe, there to end his days!

This, like many other feasible points of Dr. FRENCH's discourse, was received with most vehement demonstrations, but upon one occasion, when he bore very severely and emphatically upon Gen. McCLELLAN, some very distinct hisses mingled with the approbation. It would be impossible to narrate all the anecdotes, illustrations, and vivid pictures with which this highly instructive two hours' lecture was replete. We only give an outline.

THE HERO OF THE PLANTER

was at the close introduced by the Doctor, and proceeded to give a detailed narrative of his famous escape with the steamer *Planter*, from Charleston Harbor. He was a fine-looking negro, of 30, and spoke with ease and self-possession. His wife and children were present, and were introduced to the audience, in company with CATHERINE GRELLAC, JOANNA FLEMING, PHILIP DOSSAY and WILLIAM and ANNE SUMMONSES, all likely-looking fugitive slaves. The surprising and grotesque adventures of the last two persons, (man and wife,) who escaped *by letting themselves be headed up in rice casks*, and to conveyed in a wagon of provisions through Charleston to the shore, were amusingly related by *Dr. FRENCH, who, when a collection for the benefit of* the fugitives had been taken up, terminated the proceedings with the singing of the 447th Hymn, and a *fervent benediction*.

As the congregation broke up, crowds gathered around the "contrabands" to compliment them, and Dr. FRENCH announced that any contributions might be sent to No. 400 Broadway, and any applications offering employment to his *protegés*, could be sent to his office, No. 5 Beekman-street.

What Europe Thinks of Us.

Rev. THEODORE L. CUYLER, who has just returned from a three months' vacation in England and on the continent of Europe, gave to a large audience at Plymouth Church, Brooklyn, last evening, the result of his observations during his absence, with respect to the opinions entertained abroad touching the American Rebellion. His narrative was highly interesting, and was received with every demonstration of delight, but did not present any new or different aspect of European opinion regarding American affairs from that well known to exist by most readers of the newspapers. In England, he said, the aristocratic influence in the main was against us; so was the commercial influence, and as for the press, with the exception of the *Daily News*, *Star*, BRIGHT's paper, and the *Edinburgh Mercury*, it was all hostile to the North. Still we had a few friends among the nobility, among whom he mentioned Lord SHAFTESBURY, who had stated that if the North would only raise the standard of God and Liberty, they would not lack for sympathy in Europe. Earl RUSSELL had likewise frequently expressed a similar sentiment, and he gave that nobleman the credit, notwithstanding the harsh criticism he had encountered on this side the water, of being a conscientious Anti-Slavery man, of having no sympathy with the South, and of having stood thus far, as a breakwater, against the tremendous pressure brought to bear upon the Government in favor of intervention and recognition. The religious element of Great Britain contained a large *substratum* in our favor. At all the religious meetings he attended, our civil war was alluded to in the prayers, and the invariable petition was that it might result in the downfall of oppression, the spread of civil liberty, and in a speedy termination.

He quoted from a passage in one of SPURGEON's sermons, delivered the Sunday after his arrival there, in which that popular preacher indulged in very harsh comments on our civil war, which had given rise to unfavorable criticism of him by the American Press. Mr. SPURGEON, he said, like many other true friends of America, who had defended the North in the outset of the rebellion, had become disappointed and disgusted at the manner in which the war had been conducted by our Government, and were utterly unable to discern any principle lying at the foundation of our attempt to suppress the rebellion. This was the position of all liberals throughout Europe. It was a matter of the greatest amazement to them that the North, seeing that *Slavery* was the moving cause and the life blood of the rebellion, did not strike at the root of the evil, proclaim emancipation, and thus inaugurate a principle worth fighting for, and at the same time secure the sympathies of the world in their favor.

The working classes of England who were suffering the most from the war, he said, were generally friendly to the North, and would be universally so if they knew it was to result in the downfall of Slavery. The leading Methodist preacher in England, Rev. WILLIAM ARTHUR, who recently traveled in America, he said was a fast friend of the North, and expressed his confident belief in a restoration of the Union. Europeans knew nothing and cared nothing about the terms "Union" or "Secession" as they are regarded by us. The only thing they looked for was a principle lying at the foundation of the strife, and if they were unable to find that, they regarded the contest as a fruitless one and a nuisance to the world, which humanity required should be brought to an end.

In France, public opinion was only the reflection of the tone of the influential Press of England, which was against us. The North, however, had a true friend in Napoleon, and the Emperor had stated to the Minister HAUSSMANN, some months since, that he could rely on in the North.

He was confident, from his observations in England and on the Continent, that unless our Government inaugurated a new programme relative to the object of the strife, or speedily gained some great advantage over the rebellion, the pressure of public opinion would *force* long force an interference in the quarrel, and the recognition of the Southern Confederacy. He related the following as coming under his observation while in Paris:

He said that while sitting in the Hotel de Louvre he had the pleasure of hearing an honest and intelligent opinion of affairs given by a Southern gentleman of culture and breeding. Said he, "There can be but two possible terminations to this struggle within the coming three months; either there will be as a result of Southern victory, two mighty Republics, each so powerful and self-sustaining as to command the respect of the world, or else LINCOLN's army will break up our forces, overrun our country with vast numbers of men, destroy Slavery absolutely, and make our section as completely Yankeeized as the soil of New-England itself.

Mr. CUYLER's address is one which should be heard by every man at the North, and as a lecture before athenæums, a stump speech to a manly gathering, a sermon for the multitude, a counsel for our rulers, a suggestion to the Generals of our armies and an encouragement to the rank and file of our vast military corps, it would be of inestimable value. Our columns, so crowded, exclude a full report, to which the foregoing sketch does but lame justice.

Hotel Arrivals.

Wm. H. Ramsey, Bank Comptroller of the State of Wisconsin; Col. J. Wheeling and officers of the One Hundred and Thirty-eighth Regiment, N. Y. S. V.; M. E. Hatch, H. A. Holden, Jas. G. McCauly, Lieut. A. Dexter and R. S. Chew, U. S. N., and Maj. J. R. Tappan, One Hundred and Twentieth Regiment, N. Y. S. V., are stopping at the Astor House.

E. W. Smith, U. S. A., and Prof. W. B. Bushnell, Yale College, are guests at the St. Nicholas Hotel.

A. Stone, of Cleveland; Brig.-Gen. Gilmore, U. S. A.; L. D. Cameron, St. Louis; G. B. White, U. S. N.; G. H. Hale, Michigan; H. S. Rutherford, St. Louis, and H. Greenwood, Cincinnati, are at the Metropolitan Hotel.

Chas. H. Noyes, Geo. S. Redfield and Dr. J. P. Gilbert, U. S. N., and Chas. Wood, of St. Louis, are at the Fifth-avenue Hotel.

J. G. Purdon, of Hong Kong, China, is a guest at the New-York Hotel.

Ex-Gov. Boutwell and family, of Massachusetts, and M. Meredith, of Philadelphia, are stopping at the Brevoort House.

D. H. Winter, of England, is stopping at the Albemarle Hotel.

Capt. Arsenloff, Russian Navy, and Col. Curzie, One Hundred and Thirty-third N. Y. S. V., are at the Everett House.

Jose T. Fernandez, of Cuba, is a guest at the Clarendon Hotel.

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Death of Ex-Gov. Price.

TRENTON, N. J., Sept. 13.

Hon. JOHN R. THOMPSON, United States Senator, died at his residence in Princeton at an early hour after midnight. His official term would have expired on the 4th of March.

Passengers Arrived.

In steamship Princess, from Port Royal, S. C.—Capt. Gun, Capt. W. Wayne, Wm. Powell, John Glen, John Cosgrove, H. Trask, F. J. Flanagan, J. A. McVean, A. Bunner, and 19 in the steerage.

In ship Undaunted, from New-Orleans—F. S. Hagerthild